

ESSEN ENTIRELY ISOLATED FROM OUTSIDE WORLD

Acute Scarcity of Food Marks 21st Day of Occupation

(By The Associated Press)
DUSSELDORF, Jan. 31.—Seizure of the Ruhr customs by the French; the low level of coal production reached; the practical disappearance of empty coal cars from the region threatening a complete stoppage of work at the mines within a few days, the quieting of the Cologne, Berlin trunk telegraph and telephone cables at several places around Essen, completely isolating the city from the outside world, and a more acute scarcity of food—these were the developments of the twenty-first day of the Franco-Belgian occupation.

Calm apparently has been restored so far as outward demonstrations are concerned the infantry bicycle and cavalry patrols which have been keeping order in the streets since the outbreak of last Thursday have arrested only two men at Essen and one at Dusseldorf in the past 24 hours, and these were for minor offenses. The patrols had been averaging 15 to 20 arrests daily in each of these cities.

The taking over of the customs by the French is the most severe economic blow attempted since they entered the Ruhr. M. Philipp, French chief of the Ruhr customs, avers that the defections of the personnel of the German customhouse amount only to about forty percent; these were immediately replaced and work proceeded normally. The Germans declare that more than 70 percent of their customs staff walked out and insist that the French will not be able to handle collections.

A visit to the Duisburg central customs house disclosed little congestion; business was slower but the French are keeping the doors open for two hours additional with the French staff and such Germans as volunteer in order to transact the daily business without delay.

The coal production yesterday fell below fifty percent of normal for the first time since the occupation. Only a little more than 100,000 tons were brought to the surface and owing to the shortage of "empties" about 70,000 tons were loaded and cleared from the pit heads.

Mines May Shut Down
Despite the low production the French admitted this evening that should the shortage of empties become worse the mines may have to shut down in a few days.

The French occupation authorities seized the entire Ruhr customs, placing men in charge of the large general merchandise warehouses in Dusseldorf and Duisburg and seizing the stocks of mineral water, petroleum, benzol, spirits and tobacco as well as all the customs offices throughout the district.

Four high German customs functionaries in Duisburg and Dusseldorf who objected to the seizures were expelled from the Ruhr. Many of the customs workers elected to continue their duties under the French and others, who refused, were replaced by French customs officers who have been stationed in Dusseldorf for several days.

The personnel of the central customs house in Duisburg agreed to work with the French.

The railroad strike shows no signs of improving, it is effective throughout the Ruhr and at Wiesbaden, Cologne and Cologne. The stations between Dusseldorf, Essen, Duisburg and Ruhrort are filled with people for the most part workers unable to reach the city. They are bitter against the railroad men. The municipal council of Bochum, which has been a center of opposition against the occupying powers has posted a proclamation on the walls reading:

"Germans remain firm, make the invader feel that he is our enemy and make him realize that Germans are not dogs and lick the hand that strikes them."

The Germans have stopped the Paris-Warsaw express at the Cologne station for two days and no international east-bound train gets beyond Cologne.

The bottom seems to have dropped out of the exchange market. Sterling today brought 220,000 marks, the dollar 45,000 and the French franc 2,000 in Dusseldorf and Essen, with paper marks becoming scarce again.

POLICE HAVE ONE SLENDER CLUE IN JEWEL ROBBERY

Turn Search for Peddler Who Was in the Vicinity

(By The Associated Press)
MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 31.—One slender clue was being followed tonight by police and private detectives investigating the disappearance of \$250,000 worth of jewelry belonging to Mrs. David G. Joyce, wife of a Chicago lumberman, which she reported today had been stolen from their winter home here.

Frankly admitting that the circumstances surrounding the case were baffling the police turned their search toward a peddler, reported to have been seen in the neighborhood of the Joyce estate making a house to house canvass during the past three days.

The theory was advanced that the robbery had been carefully planned weeks in advance and the movements of the Joyces well observed so that the thief made his raid during the dinner hour between 7 and 8 o'clock. Servants in the house were unable to throw any light on the case.

The jewelry was not insured. Mrs. Joyce told the police. It was the first time, she declared that she had left her jewels on the dresser while she dined. The list she said ranged from a gold vanity case, valued at \$1,500 to rings studded with as many as 20 diamonds. It included two strings of large pearl necklaces. One ring which she first reported missing was later discovered under a scarf on the dresser. One dresser drawer was open Mrs. Joyce said when she made the discovery. A fact which puzzles the police is that a platinum watch set with two and a half karat diamond and a purse \$100 was untouched.

There were only four persons in the house at the time Mrs. Joyce thinks the jewels disappeared. herself, a woman guest and two servants.

The jewels were on the dresser when she went to dine last night, she said.

EDSEL FORD GIVES HOG ISLAND SHIP YARDS ONCE OVER

Fact Is Disclosed by Shipping Board Officials Yesterday

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Shipping board officials disclosed tonight that Edsel Ford had inspected the ship yards at Hog Island, Pennsylvania, which have been offered for sale by the government and had shown interest as a prospective purchaser of part of the 950 acre project. Mr. Ford was said to have indicated interest in a fifty acre tract.

The land and permanent improvements made by the government during the war cost about \$15,000,000. The property today in the opinion of shipping board officials, has increased in value and they said they expected to receive more than the ground and improvements originally cost. It was made clear in this connection that the \$15,000,000 figure did not include the cost of the ship ways and other expensive construction work the government laid down on a most extensive scale during the war.

THIRTY-FIVE DEAD IN GERMAN MINE

(By The Associated Press)
BERLIN, Jan. 31.—Six hundred miners are entombed in the Heinitz mine at Beuthen, Polish-Silesia in consequence of an explosion of fire damp today.

Of the 100 men constituting the morning shift who went into mine shortly before the explosion only 200 had been rescued up to a late hour today.

Of these 50 were suffering from injuries and taken to hospitals. The bodies of 35 dead had been brought to the surface when the despatch from Beuthen was filed.

APPOINTS ASSISTANT

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31.—Miss Emma C. Nelson, sister of State Treasurer Oscar Nelson, of State, today was appointed assistant state treasurer of Illinois. She is the first woman to hold the position.

WEATHER

Illinois—Rain Thursday; Friday unsettled and colder.

Temperatures

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Wednesday were:

Jacksonville, Ill.	51	60	39
Boston	34	38	16
Buffalo	34	34	14
New York	28	38	12
Jacksonville, Fla.	58	72	56
New Orleans	70	78	62
Chicago	43	46	32
Detroit	40	40	32
Omaha	26	28	18
Minneapolis	16	18	12
Helena	8	16	2
San Francisco	48	52	40
Winnipeg	-6	8	-6
Cincinnati	48	52	40

OFFICIALS PLEASED BY ACCEPTANCE OF DEBT SUGGESTIONS

Feel it is Step Towards Breaking Vicious Cycle of Debts

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Advices announcing the acceptance today by the British cabinet of the American debt funding suggestions were received by official Washington with undisguised satisfaction. The feeling prevailed generally that a step toward the vicious cycle of world debts had been taken and that the result would be a substantial improvement in world conditions.

On the basis of press despatches which were supplemented later by a brief cable to the state department from Ambassador Harvey in London, members of the American debt funding commission began immediate preparation for presenting the terms of the tentative settlement to congress.

Some further negotiations are expected to be necessary since according to Mr. Harvey's cable report, the British government agreed to the American suggestions "in principle." To what extent such an agreement may affect the suggestions carried back to London by Stanley Baldwin, chancellor of the exchequer and his colleagues of the mission was not known tonight but it was believed in official circles that the major questions of interest rates and the plan for amortization had been accepted by the British without change.

As a result of Mr. Harvey's cable message, it was said officially plans would be made for a meeting of the American commission tomorrow or Friday. If further negotiations are necessary they will be conducted with Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador acting for his government.

Members are Divided

Members of the American commission appeared today to be divided as to the procedure to be followed in submitting the question of ratification of the agreement to congress. Some of them including Secretary Mellon who is chairman and Senator Smoot, Republican, Utah, and Representative Burton, Republican, Ohio, were reported as urging immediate changes in the law broadening the commission's power so that it could complete the settlement. It was understood that the president favored action by congress on a resolution by which congress could vote either to accept or reject the settlement on the provisions which are outside the present foreign funding act.

The American suggestions called for final payment of the nearly \$5,000,000,000 debt in sixty-two years with interest rates of three per cent for the first ten years and three and one-half per cent thereafter, and an amortization rate of one-half of one per cent of the principal annually. The law prescribes an interest rate of four and one-quarter per cent and payment in twenty-five years, and congressional action is necessary before the settlement could become actually operative.

Senator Smoot and Mr. Burton were understood today to have begun the preparation of a bill to give the commission the authority deemed necessary with the expectation of presenting it early next week.

JURY IN SMITH CASE BEGINS WORK TODAY

(By The Associated Press)
ARDMORE, Okla., Jan. 31.—The jury in the case of Jeff Smith charged with the murder of Joe Carroll an alleged bootlegger who was slain by masked men at his home in Wilson in December, 1921, was locked up tonight without having been given the case.

Judge Freeman made it official with the jurors whether they would begin deliberations tonight or tomorrow. The twelve men decided to "rest."

WELL KNOWN BANKER DEAD IN NEW YORK

(By The Associated Press)
NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Henry Clews, widely known banker, died this afternoon at his home on West 31st street after an illness of several months.

PHILADELPHIA MAN GETS GOOD POSITION

Chicago, Jan. 31.—E. T. Witter of Philadelphia assistant to the vice-president in charge of personnel, has been appointed acting vice-president of the Northwestern division of the Pennsylvania railroad, effective tomorrow. The action was made necessary owing to the illness of J. G. Rodgers, vice president and T. B. Hamilton, general manager who have been given extended leaves of absence.

Appropriation Bills Numerous Yesterday

(By The Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 31.—A total of forty bills went into the house and senate in their sessions today, 28 in the lower house and 16 in the upper branch. Of the total, senator James H. Forester, Republican of Taylorville, broke all records of the fifty-third assembly by introducing five bills in one day. His nearest competitor is Senator Essington, Republican of Streator, who brought in four traction bills two weeks ago. A number of members in both houses have three bills to their credit within one day.

Appropriation bills were numerous. In the senate a measure of Senator Richard Barr, Joliet, would appropriate \$1,145,200 to the Illinois State penitentiary, Senator Dunlap would appropriate \$2,520,000 to the University of Illinois for each year of the biennium in addition to funds to be apportioned by the federal government from the public land sales; Senator Buck, Monmouth sent in a bill providing a bond issue of \$30,000,000 to complete the hard road system, which would be subject to a referendum at the general election on November 1924.

The house appropriation measures included one from Representative Little, Chicago for \$10,500,000 for the University of Illinois; Representative Lee, Chicago would purchase a farm for mental defective to cost \$750,000; Representative Epstein asked for appropriations in a bill accompanying his boxing plan, totalling \$56,000 a year for officers salaries; operation and expenses of the measures; Representative Edward J. Smeltzer, Chicago, would appropriate \$200,000 to be used in constructing bond issue roads, Representative Francis E. Williamson Urbana, asked for \$100,000 to meet federal appropriations for the University of Illinois and a bill by Representative Mitchell, Chicago would use \$20,000 to conduct an investigation to determine the ownership of lost monies and claims held in various depositories through the state result that the money where no legal claimant is found would be put to state use to lighten various burdens and eliminate certain certain tax processes.

His measure came in by request and duplicates the purpose of a similar bill defeated last session. Attack Election Laws Both general and primary was made in both houses in a number of bills. Senator Hanson, Bloomington would amend the primary election act to provide that candidates for county offices at special elections shall be selected by the managing committee of each party. His bill was advanced to second reading. Considerable opposition in anticipated when it reaches the third reading as such a measure is classed as drastic and as depriving the people of the state of personal privileges and constitutional rights.

Senator Forester would amend the election law to provide that no ballot shall be valid unless the initials of the election judge are attached. (Continued on Page Four)

BRIEFS FIND CHARGES OF DRUG PEDDLING AT LANE TECH UNTRUE

(By The Associated Press)
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 31.—William Berger of Granite City, was elected president of the Illinois Master Plumbers association here today. Other officers are, first vice president, R. Bailey, Rockford; second vice president, J. F. Manion, Freeport; secretary-treasurer, T. E. Greig, Springfield.

Lausanne, Jan. 31.—Richard Washburn Child, chief American spokesman, made a strong appeal for peace before the Near East conference at the formal presentation to the Turks of the treaty drawn up by the allies. Turkey must be reasonable, Mr. Child declared, if she is to have the peace and co-operation she required. His address made a deep impression upon the conference.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 31.—Oscar Engstrom of Bloomington, alleged "chief picket" during the Chicago & Alton railroad strike at Bloomington, was found guilty in the federal court here today of violating the preliminary injunction granted the railroad. It was alleged that he took a soldier's picture while on guard in violation of the writ. He applied for a new trial.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 31.—Receivership was asked for the Equity Co-Operative Exchange, a grain handling concern with headquarters here today, in a petition filed in Ramsey county district court here, charging that the accounts and funds of the company had been juggled and misappropriated and that officers and directors had manipulated a grain pool belonging to farmers.

Belleville, Ill., Jan. 31.—The Nebgen Cigar Box Factory here has been closed after 50 years continuous operation. Officials ascribed prohibition and the war as causes. They say prohibition has hurt cigar sales in that before its advent the "light" drinker would take a cigar after the second or third round of libations. Then, they add, many cigar smokers who went to war, returned cigarette smokers.

Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—Viola Dana, screen star, was to undergo an operation for appendicitis today. She was brought to a hospital yesterday. It was said she was too ill to undergo the operation yesterday.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Candidates of Arthur C. Lueder for mayor of Chicago to succeed William Hale Thompson, gained momentum today with the announcement that his resignation as postmaster had been forwarded to Washington.

Grand B. Miller, acting postmaster at Cleveland, Ohio, will be transferred here tomorrow to replace Mr. Lueder.

REPORTS OF MERGER ARE UNFOUNDED

Richmond, Va., Jan. 31.—Reports of the proposed consolidation of the Chesapeake & Ohio railway and the "Nickel Plate" railroad were declared to be without foundation by W. J. Harahan, president of the Chesapeake & Ohio in a telegram received at the general offices here tonight. Mr. Harahan also denied that changes in the management and official personnel of the system were contemplated.

GENERAL SURPRISE IS EXPRESSED AT ACTION OF CABINET

Many Believe American Terms are Most Liberal

(By The Associated Press)
LONDON, Jan. 31.—The cabinet council today with unexpected promptitude and almost without further debate decided to accept the American terms for funding the British debt and so far as known tonight without reservations.

No official statement has been issued beyond the bare announcement of acceptance and if there are any reservations or counter proposals they probably will become known only after the ambassador at Washington has communicated the British government's decision to the state department.

American Ambassador Harvey expressing to The Associated Press his gratification that the matter had been thus arranged, said he considered it a fair and just settlement.

That the cabinet should have decided after practically only one setting, causes general surprise, for although a decision was fully expected before the expiration of the week, it had been supposed that it might entail possibly two or three councils.

The alacrity with which the dissenting ministers have been brought into line says much for the strength and cogency of the arguments in favor of acceptance which the chancellor of the exchequer, Stanley Baldwin was able to bring before his colleagues.

Believed Best Terms

Chief among these arguments is believed to have been Mr. Baldwin's firm conviction that no better terms could be expected or obtained by further delay and of the inadvisability of allowing such a favorable opportunity to slip for securing a settlement which, it might at least be hoped, would meet with the approval of the American congress. While many strong arguments have been employed here against acceptance, notably the fact that the American terms require repayments in American currency, there was even a greater number of arguments and influences for acceptance. The two currents of arguments took two main lines, those against being mainly political, those in favor mainly financial and commercial. There was virtually universal admission that the American terms were generous and many writers in the present view so far as to say that the government ought to look a gift horse in the mouth.

The political argument against acceptance took the line that acceptance would mean binding England down to a large annual payment in American currency and that the necessity of buying more than thirty millions sterling worth of dollars yearly might have a bad effect on the exchange value of pound and further, that once the funding was achieved on definite terms it would be impossible to take advantage in the future of any exceptional circumstances promising relief in the heavy burden to British taxpayers.

Undoubtedly also false hopes which had been raised of the possibility of funding the debt on a two or a two and a half per cent basis accounted for much of the political opposition. What almost certainly turned the scale in favor of acceptance was the strong desire on the part of the financial and commercial community to put an end to the period of uncertainty and bring about stable conditions under which the country at least would know its exact position.

FIVE STUDENTS AND TEACHER BURNED

(By The Associated Press)
HILLSBORO, Ill., Jan. 31.—Five students and their teacher were seriously burned by an explosion in the chemical laboratory of the Irving high school here today. The students were working on a class experiment. The teacher, Miss Edna Williams, was cut about the hands by glass and burned about the face by acid. The injured students, are: Evelyn W. Walls, Mary Truitt, Josephine Hampton, Mary Oakley and James Edgington.

COL. ROOSEVELT VISITS OLD SCHOOL

Washington, Jan. 31.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt planted a tree today to the memory of his brother Quentin in the yard of the public school where they were students as boys when their father was president. It was many years since Colonel Roosevelt had visited the school. He sat in his old seat a moment and told the class he had read a ball the queue of the son of the Chinese minister who sat ahead of him. The tree was planted by the American Tree association.

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA AND HUNGARY WILL ACCEPT PROPOSAL

Action Dissipated One of Clouds Hanging Over Europe

(By The Associated Press)
PARIS, Jan. 31.—One of the clouds hanging over Europe was dissipated today when Czechoslovakia and Hungary accepted the procedure proposed by the council of the league of nations to settle the boundary dispute between them.

Representatives of both countries told the council at its meeting here today that they would abide by its decision. The council will investigate the situation and give its decision at its next meeting.

The council decided to follow the suggestion of the last league assembly and call an international conference to consider extension of those powers that did not have the opportunity of signing the agreement. The date will not be fixed until after adjournment of the forthcoming Pan-American Congress in Santiago.

In spite of the intervention of the Earl of Balfour who declared that appropriations for armaments did not form a practical basis from which to figure proportional limitations, the council decided in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the last assembly to invite all members of the league to limit their annual expenditures for armaments to the amounts appropriated in 1913.

The welfare of the German minorities in Poland is giving the council considerable concern.

WOULD REQUEST HARDING TO CALL DRUG CONFERENCE

Wants Limitation Placed on Production of Narcotics

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—President Harding would be requested to urge a world-wide limitation of narcotics and habit forming drugs production under a resolution introduced today by Chairman Porter of the house foreign affairs committee.

"It is the imperative duty of the United States to protect its people from the persistent ravages of habit forming drugs," the resolution said, "and effective control can be had by limiting production."

The resolution did not suggest an international conference but left to the discretion of the president the method of procedure. Under its terms the president would be requested to report to congress within six months the result of his efforts. Unlawful use in the United States of opium and its derivatives including morphine and heroin and of cocaine and other preparations made from opium leaves the resolution says, "has wrought irreparable injury to health and morality" and caused "increased and spreading" death.

REFUSE TO ACCEPT LEGISLATOR'S CHECK

(By The Associated Press)
LANSING, Jan. 31.—State Representative Denias Daw, Democrat, a physician of Monroe, who because of illness, was excused the opening day of the legislature's session and who did not return to Lansing until Tuesday, protested to the house today against acceptance of a pay voucher for \$124. Inasmuch as he had not been on the job he was averse to accepting the salary advance an insisted on paying into the general fund of the state the amount tendered by the clerk of the house.

One representative pointed out that deductions for sick leave are without precedent and the house adopted a motion that it was the sense of the body that the state should not accept Mr. Daw's check.

CORDELL HULL LETS OFF MORE STEAM

Washington, Jan. 31.—The victory of Sol Bloom in the special congressional election in the 19th district of New York yesterday was described in a statement today by Cordell Hull, chairman of the Democratic national committee as a body blow to a Republican expectation and a certain omen of general and sweeping Democratic success next year.

BROKER RELEASED ON \$10,000 BOND

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 31.—Virtus Rohm, Chicago grocer, arrested Monday for conspiracy to defraud the Chicago board of education was released from custody today on \$10,000 bond. The bond was given in favor of the State of Illinois, officials of that state having requested his arrest here and provided for his appearance at Chicago, February 10, to answer the indictment.

REFUSE TO LET SIKI LAND

London, Jan. 31.—The home office has refused permission for Battling Siki, to land in England. Several promoters have been trying recently to arrange bouts for Siki in this country.

PASSAGE OF LAST FARM CREDITS BILL REGARDED CERTAIN

Agree for Vote on Lenroot-Anderson Measure Friday

(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Passage by the senate Friday of the Lenroot-Anderson farm credits bill, the second and last on the farmer relief program and regarded as certain to day by an agreement for a vote on that day and the overwhelming defeat of a motion for reconsideration. The unanimous consent agreement for a final roll call Friday was offered by Senator Swanson, Democrat, Virginia, after conferences with leaders on both sides, but was adopted only after Senator Lenroot, Republican, Wisconsin, had threatened to hold the senate in session tonight.

After disposing of the credit measure the senate will take up the war department bill with the shipping bill following on the program. Considerable debate on the army budget is predicted with the possibility that opponents of the shipping bill will use it, as it has been charged they have the farm credit legislation as a bluff against the shipping measure.

The motion to reconsider the Lenroot-Anderson bill came as a surprise. It was made by Senator Couzens, Republican, Michigan, and proposed to send the measure and all substitutes and amendments to the banking committee. The Michigan senator contended that the senate was without sufficient information to act on farm credits and urged that the bill go over until the next congress but his motion was defeated, 51 to 4. Its supporters were Senators Couzens, La Follette, Republican, Wisconsin, Norbeck, Republican, South Dakota, and Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts.

In presenting his motion, Senator Couzens made his "maiden" speech. The Capper farm credit bill passed recently by the senate he declared was all the credits legislation immediately necessary. He said also that he preferred the Norbeck bill with its provisions for centralizing farm credit funds provided by the government to the Lenroot-Anderson measure.

"I believe it is better to have this capital centralized so it may be put where needed by agriculture," he declared.

Criticized Banking Committee
Senator Couzens criticized the banking committee of which he is a member contending it had not given sufficient consideration to the Norbeck bill, nor, in fact, to the Lenroot-Anderson measure. "I submit that this congress is not informed as to the best method of providing credit for the farmer," he declared. "By the next congress we will have the experience under the Capper bill with its one year's extension of the war finance corporation's powers and also of the liquidation of agriculture. I can see nothing lost by delaying this legislation."

Senator Brookhart, Republican, Iowa, discussed at length his amendment providing for a co-operative banking system and detailed the reputed success of the cooperative movement in this country and abroad.

Senator Lenroot criticized the Brookhart amendment, declaring that no demand had come for it from farmers or farm organizations and said that Senators and representatives could not be expected to accept the amendment merely on the word of Senator Brookhart. The latter replied that the pending bill was not a farm bloc bill but a blankets bloc bill.

The farm bloc movement was then discussed at some length by Senator Brookhart who said that eventually the "farm bloc" the labor bloc, the soldier bloc and the mother's bloc would have a controlling voice in congress.

Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania had a tilt with the Iowa senator and said all members of congress desired equal treatment and opportunity for all Americans and asked whether special privilege for the farm bloc was desired.

Senator Reed said he hoped the day would never come when there would be a railroad bloc, a farm bloc and other blocs forming a senate "soviet" of class representatives.

RESUME PITTSBURGH PLUS CASE TODAY

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Presentation of the United States Steel corporations defense in the Pittsburgh plus case will be resumed tomorrow with Alfred W. Winter, statistician of the Illinois Steel company a corporation subsidiary testifying about price variations in contracts over a period of four years.

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A THOUGHT
And the evening and the morning were the first day.—Genesis 1:5.
I think that nothing made is lost; That not a moon hath ever shone. That not a cloud my eye hath crossed But to my soul hath gone.
That all my lost years garnered lie In this thy casket, my dim soul; And thou wilt once the key apply, And show the shining how.—George MacDonald.

KING'S LUXURIES
(NEA)
Scientific grave-robbers continue bringing loot from the tomb of Tut-ankh-Amen, king who ruled Egypt thousands of years ago. This loot—estimated to be worth as much as 40 million dollars—will go to museums, so the looters are called "archaeologists."
They would be called grave-robbers, even ghouls, if old Tut-ankh-Amen had been buried recently. Time seems to make a lot of difference, black is black one year and white another.
After a person is dead a few thousand years, the atmosphere of respect and reverence vanishes. So it's considered proper to lug forth and display the mummies and treasure found in Tut-ankh-Amen's tomb.
It must please the old gentleman's spirit at that, for he was forgotten and his tomb buried under drifted sands until recently discovered by excavators. His glory lives again by reason of his grave-robbery.
His tomb had been robbed previously—about 3300 years ago—and revealed by cemetery officials.

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Milton Sills, Florence Vidor, Frang Campeau, Marcia Manon will take you through a drama more astounding than "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde"
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10c - TO ALL - 10c
Coming Friday Lester Cuneo in a good western picture Lone Hand Wilson

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM
Judgment
By Berton Braley
ONCE on a time I respected the highbrows, Once I was ruled by their cultural views, Dreaded the curl of their uplifted eyebrows— Now, well, I think more or less as I choose. Faith in the highbrow's omniscience was shaken When this plain fact was revealed to my sight, Highbrows are oftentimes badly mistaken, Lowbrows are frequently perfectly right.
BACK in the days when Bill Shakespeare was living Highbrows regarded his drama as low, Viewed all his stuff with a mien unforgetting, Called "As You Like It" a "popular show." Shakespeare has glory that goes on forever, From which this clear little lesson we cull, Maybe the highbrows aren't always so clever, Maybe the lowbrows aren't totally dull.
DO not be frightened of snobs intellectual, Sneering at stuff with the "popular touch," Though they aspire to command and direct you all They do not really amount to so much; Cease to regard them with awe and with terror, For though they chatter of "beauty" and "art," Sometimes the highbrows are grossly in error, Sometimes the lowbrows are right from the start.
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EXCLUSIVE OMAHA HOTEL FACES CLOSING
(By The Associated Press)
OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 31.—The HHotel Fontenelle, Omaha's most exclusive hostelry, faces a possible closing for one year, under the nuisance provision of the national prohibition act as the result of a raid on the hotel today by a squadron of federal officers and agents headed by General Prohibition Agent Samardick of the twelfth district.
The officers armed with search warrants swooped down on the hotel and arrested seven bell hops. Mr. Samardick stated that no liquor was found.
Immediately after the raid Federal Judge Woodrough issued a temporary injunction against the hotel. The injunction was directed against the Douglas Hotel, Epeley Hotel company and Eugene E. Epeley. It declares that the hotel and its furnishings "are a common nuisance for the reason that intoxicating liquor is lawfully kept and sold there."
The temporary injunction prohibits the defendants and all other persons from operating the hotel in violation of the national prohibition act and commands the defendants to appear in federal court February 20, and show cause why a permanent injunction should not be issued, closing the hotel for one year.
WATCH for our ad tomorrow morning. Big sale of little used furniture, stoves, etc., at unheard of prices.
PEOPLES FURNITURE CO.
ORDERED TO REMAIN AT CLEVELAND OFFICE
Cleveland, O., Jan. 31.—Grant D. Miller, postoffice inspector and acting postmaster here, declared tonight he has been ordered to remain at his post here pending further instructions from Washington.
Mr. Miller was to have reported at Chicago tomorrow to take charge of that office.
DISMISS CHARGE AGAINST BERGER
Superior, Wis., Jan. 31.—On motion of Federal District Attorney Dougherty, espionage charges pending against Victor Berger, socialist, were dismissed by Judge C. Z. Luse this afternoon. The charges were brought against Berger for alleged pro-German activities during the war.
Similar charges against Louis Arnold, Milwaukee, also were dismissed.

CASH PAID FOR Poultry, Eggs and Cream
C. H. SWABY
AUTO SPEEDER IS GIVEN HEAVY FINE
Chicago, Jan. 31.—Fined at the rate of a dollar a mile, Simon Dibardas, arrested on four automobile speeding charges, was assessed \$170 and costs by Municipal Judge Borrelli today. Judge Borrelli based the fine of the scale of speed as given by the arresting officer in each case. Then he added the four figures, finding the total \$170.

Cheap Money Now
Later, it will be about all taken up and, consequently what can be had will be at much higher rate.
See Me Now
C. O. Bayha
Room 4, Unity Building
RIALTO
Thursday and Friday
10c and 25c—Tax Included
Jesse L. Lasky Presents
ELSIE FERGUSON
IN
THE OUTCAST
A Paramount Picture
A drama of women's conventions and men's intentions. A sparkling scintillating story, bubbling with sunshine and optimism, with a surprise climax that follows a succession of sensations and thrills.
Also a Good Comedy
Coming Saturday, Alice Calhoun in "The Girl in His Room."

PYTHIAN TEAMS WILL HOLD WORK CONTEST
Plans for Contest in Putting on Rank Work Take Shape in Lodge Meeting—Members Enjoy Oyster Supper.
Jacksonville Lodge No. 152, Knights of Pythias, held an interesting and enthusiastic meeting at the new quarters in Odd Fellows' Temple on East State street last night. Plans were formulated for a contest in putting on the work of the third rank, to be held as soon as the regular degree team can get in shape. J. L. Graham, the team organizer, is selecting men for the various parts. The regulars have been challenged by L. O. Vought, who proposes to form a team of the older members. The contest promises to be an interesting one.
Following the regular lodge session, the members enjoyed a bountiful oyster supper. Oyster stew and coffee were served in the dining room of the quarters. A committee composed of Henry Hicks and R. L. Dunlap, has been appointed to arrange for the attendance of the lodge at the annual Pythian church service, to be held on Feb. 18. Members of both lodges of Knights of Pythias in the city will attend the services in a body.

COMPARE IT WITH OTHERS
The eyes of the world are on the Chevrolet Sedan selling for \$900 delivered. We want you to compare it with other higher priced automobiles. J. F. Claus Motor Co. Phone 278.
COURBOIN'S COMING AN UNUSUAL EVENT
The impression must not be had that because the admission charge to hear Charles Courboin, one of the great organists of the age, in recital February 8th, at Central Christian church, is only fifty cents instead of two dollars, that the program will not be worth going miles to hear.
Rev. M. L. Pontus of the Christian church learned that Prof. Courboin, who is appearing at St. Louis on the 17th, had an open date between engagements and that he could be brought here. The arrangements to do so were not made for the purpose of raising money but that the people of the community might have an opportunity to hear a master organist in an exceptional program for little money.
Prof. Courboin has at one time and another presided over the world's largest instruments both in cathedrals of Europe and in auditoriums and churches of this country. A 2d his advent here should be signalized by an immense turnout of music lovers.

TICKETS for Courboin
organ recital Central Christian church, Feb. 8, 50c, at J. Bart Johnson's or Brown's Music Store.
GOES TO CHICAGO.
Mrs. Preston Woods, former teacher at the school for the deaf, leaves today for Chicago, to take a position in a similar institution connected with the Chicago public school system.

DR. BELL'S Pine-Tar Honey
A balsamic Syrup valued by 3 generations.
For Croupy Coughs and Colds
Mothers for years have relied upon this dependable prescription of a family physician to break up alarming, croupy coughs. You can depend on Dr. Bell's during long night-attacks of coughing. It loosens hard-packed phlegm, relieves congested areas and stops coughing. Children like this good old pure syrup of pine-tar honey. At any drug store.
"Refuse substitute 'PINE-TAR HONEY' Insist on Dr. BELL'S."

WOMAN'S HEALTH RESTORED
She Claims Lydia E. Pinkham's "Vegetable Compound Did It After Everything Else Failed"
Milwaukee, Wis.—"I feel that I ought to let you know about my case. I was ailing and could barely do my housework and washing I was so run-down, just from having one child. I took a lot of medicines and had doctors. Then I gave them all up and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I feel wonderfully good now. I do every thing that comes along, and we all take your medicine as a tonic when we don't feel just so. I am thankful for what the Vegetable Compound has done for my health and for my family."—Mrs. MARY SAICHECK, 944 28th St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
Letters like these testify to the value of the Vegetable Compound. These women speak from the fullness of their hearts. They describe as correctly as they can their conditions: First, those symptoms that affected them most conspicuously; and later the disappearance of these symptoms. They are sincere expressions of gratitude. For nearly fifty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been so prized by women.

SOCIAL AFFAIR AT HOME IN WINCHESTER
Mrs. Thomas Dugan and Miss Margaret Watt Entertain in Honor of Friends—Other News from Winchester.
Winchester, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Thomas Dugan and Miss Margaret Watt entertained a small company of friends at bridge Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Dugan on North Main street. The occasion was in honor of Mrs. Russell Redshaw and Mrs. Frank Cowhick, and proved to be very enjoyable for all present. At a late hour delicious refreshments were served.
Mrs. Myrtle Southwell returned Wednesday from Aley where she visited at the home of her brother, Clifford Cooper.
The White Hall basketball team will come to Winchester Saturday night for a game with the local community high team.
The many friends of Miss Anna Morgan were sorry to hear of her death which occurred at the old people's home in Jacksonville Tuesday evening. Miss Morgan was a resident of Winchester for many years and was loved by all who knew her because of her unselfish life and kindly heart.
Mrs. Harry Northrup of Aley was a business visitor here Wednesday.
Miss Margaret Crabtree arrived Wednesday from St. Louis to visit relatives.
Mrs. W. T. McIntosh of Spring Valley is here for a visit with her husband.
The store room recently purchased by Joe Montgomery is being redecorated and a new furnace is being installed.

NEW DOUGLAS CAFE
Opens today at 5 p. m., with regular supper and a la carte service. Special attention given to steak and chop orders.
HAD NARROW ESCAPE FROM INJURY
Dr. A. M. Huggins of St. Louis, recently had a very narrow escape from serious injury or death when the auto he was driving was struck by an engine. Dr. Huggins escaped injury in an almost miraculous manner and outside of a few cuts and bruises was none the worse for the accident. He was formerly located in Springfield and connected with the state veterinary service, and visited this city at various times in professional capacity.

Valentine's Day
This means that the next few weeks will bring forth a great many parties and other social functions. Your parties will be made memorable affairs if you let
DENNISON'S OUTFITS
entertain for you. We have an unusually large line of these famous entertainment features. Come in and see them.
Book and Novelty Shop
59 East Side Square

32nd Semi-Annual Sale Furniture and Furnishings
All Through February
9-Piece Dining Room Suite priced much below value; easily worth \$300. All quartered white oak, William and Mary design; fumed finish; comprises 54-inch Buffet, oblong Table, extends 8 feet; China Cabinet; 6 Chairs, with genuine Spanish leather slip seats (brown). Semi-Annual Sale special, complete only
\$161.00
Andre & Andre
"The Best Place to Trade, After All"
Buy Floor Lamps Now, 20 to 50 % Off
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Cuttrell's Majestic Theater
220 East State St. Change of program daily
TODAY
Dustin Farnum & Bessie Love
—IN—
"Three Who Paid"
A lively drama of the early romantic West, teeming with gun plays, daring horseback riding, a dandy love story, and the matching of wits that is rich to witness.
Adults 15c plus tax—Children 10c, no tax
TOMORROW
NEW SERIAL
Commences today. One of the best ever produced. Don't miss first episode. It's "In the Days of"
"Buffalo Bill"
FEATURING ART ACORD
A graphic panorama of spectacular and thrilling events of the old west, tracing the stupendous history of the plains when the west was young. 4400 horses, 1100 real Indians, 300 wild riding cowboys, 50 pony express riders—more than 8,000 in cast. A startlingly faithful depiction of the times of Buffalo Bill. Don't miss the first episode. The comedy.
"A SMALL TOWN DERBY" featuring Maude, the mule. And a Western.
"BLUE BLOOD AND RED" featuring Roy Stewart
Admission to All, 10c—No Tax

WOODSON.
The Missionary Society of Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. J. H. Shirley. The leader of the afternoon will be Mrs. J. Spainhower.
Tommy Quimby has been let from school for the past few days on account of illness.
William Loneragan purchased Ford car Wednesday from Jacksonville dealer.
The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church served lunch at the Dyer sale Tuesday and at the Curley sale, Thursday, netting quite satisfactory sums in both instances.
NEW DOUGLAS CAFE OPENS TODAY 5 P. M.

CARD PARTY GIVEN AT HOME NEAR FRANKLIN

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Woods entertained a number of their friends at a card party Wednesday evening at their home near Franklin. Five hundred was

played during the evening and a very pleasant time was had by all present. An elegant three course luncheon was served by the hostess late in the evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Otha Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Luttrell, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cussins, Mr.

and Mrs. N. Schirz, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lukeman, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eador, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLamar, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harney.

RETURNS TO DENVER
Paul J. Frank has returned to Denver, Colo., where he has business affairs, after a stay of about three weeks in the city. He expects to return to the city the latter part of March, and he and Mrs. Frank will return to Denver some time in May.

NEW ONES ARE CHEAPER
Why pay \$200 or \$300 for an old car when you can buy a new Chevrolet Touring Car, 1923 Model, for \$585 delivered. Nothing more to buy out the license. J. F. Claus Motor Co. Phone 278.

TIME TABLES

CHICAGO & ALTON.

North Bound.
No. 10 daily to Chicago, 1:47 a.m.
No. 70 daily to Peoria, Bloomington and Chicago, 6:31 a.m.
No. 14 daily to Peoria, Bloomington and Chicago, 2:40 p.m.

South and West Bound.
No. 31 daily to St. Louis, 6:15 a.m.
No. 15 daily to Kansas City, 10:50 a.m.
No. 17 daily to St. Louis and Mexico, Mo., 4:25 p.m.
No. 71 daily to Roodhouse, 7:20 p.m.
No. 9 daily to Kansas City, 11:35 p.m.

From South.
No. 30 daily, 9:35 p.m.

WABASH.
East Bound.
No. 4 leaves daily, 8:20 a.m.
No. 12 leaves daily, 9:06 p.m.
No. 72 leaves (daily ex. Sunday local freight accommodation), 10:20 a.m.

West Bound.
No. 3 leaves daily, 6:15 a.m.
No. 15 leaves daily, 5:42 p.m.
No. 73 leaves daily (ex. Sunday local freight accommodation), 12:45 p.m.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON AND QUINCY.

South Bound.
No. 12 daily (except Sunday), 6:55 a.m.
No. 48 daily (except Sunday), 2:18 p.m.

North Bound.
No. 57 daily (except Sunday), 11:10 a.m.
No. 11 daily (except Sunday), 3 p.m.

CHICAGO, PEORIA & ST. LOUIS.
South Bound.
No. 37 Ar. Jacksonville, 5:30 p.m.
No. 35 Le. Jacksonville, 7:05 a.m.

AMOS McCURLEY HELD CLOSING OUT SALE

Sale East of Woodson Wednesday Totaled \$2,333—Some of the Sales and Purchasers.

Amos McCurley held a closing out sale Wednesday at his farm home east of Woodson. Although the weather was unfavorable the attendance at the sale was quite large and bidding was spirited at all times. The prices on the various offerings were very satisfactory, the sale totaling something more than \$2,333.

L. L. Henry and Elvin Spencer were the auctioneers and Frank Flynn served as clerk. Lunch was served at noon by the Ladies Aid of the Woodson Christian church, who realized something something like \$100 from their efforts.

Mr. McCurley is soon to remove with his family to a farm in Effingham county, and the farm east of Woodson is to be occupied by James McCormick and family.

The McCormick family has been resident in Kansas but is again to locate in Morgan county.

Some of the sales made Wednesday are indicated below:

Frank Henry, 5 shoats, at \$11.20 per head.

Charles Irlam, 7 shoats, at \$11 per head.

R. Smith, some pigs at \$5.50.

Harry Tarzwell, 5 sheep, at \$10.50 per head.

Lloyd Cox, several heifers at prices ranging from \$21.70 to \$33.

John Cain, Jacksonville, bay mare, \$62.50.

Clyde Oxley, black horse, \$60.

Bert Rawlings, colt, \$37.

Clay Roach, cow, \$55.50.

Henry Lewis, cow, \$59.50.

Jesse Henry, cow, \$75.

James McCormick, cow, \$72.

Harry Tarzwell, cow, \$56; cow, \$54.

Hubert Twyford, 320 bales of clover hay at 45c per bale.

Jesse Henry, a quantity of corn at 75c per bushel.

INCOME TAX FACTS

No. 4.
In order that they may take full advantage of the exemptions provided for under the revenue act of 1921, taxpayers are reminded that a single person, if he or she is the head of a family, is allowed the same exemption as a married person—\$2,500 if the net income for 1922 was \$5,000 or less, and \$2,000 if the net income exceeded \$5,000.

A head of a family is a person who supports and maintains in one household one or more individuals closely related to him by blood, marriage, or adoption and whose right to exercise family control and provide for these dependents is based upon some moral or legal obligation. Such relative need not be under 18 years of age, nor mentally nor physically defective, but must be without income sufficient to support him or her.

Following are concrete examples of the exemptions and credits allowed a head of a family. A son supports in one household an aged mother and two sisters, both under 18 years of age. The son's net income for 1922 was \$4,000. He is allowed an exemption of \$2,500 as the head of a family whose net income was less than \$5,000, plus a \$400 credit for each dependent, a total of \$3,700. His taxable income is \$300, on which the tax is 4 per cent, or \$12.

A widower with one child under 18 years of age had a net income for 1922 of \$3,000. He is entitled to an exemption of \$2,500 as head of a family, plus the \$400 credit for a dependent.

In the absence of continuous residence with persons whom he supports, whether a person is head of a family within the meaning of the statute depends upon the character of the separation.

If a parent is away on business or a child or other dependent is away at school, the common home being maintained, the exemption applies. But when needlessly and continuously both parties live apart, the status of a head of a family does not exist, irrespective of support being given.

RADIO BROADCASTING PROGRAMS

KYW—400 Meters, Westinghouse Chicago, Illinois, Central Standard Time.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST
Daily program as for Wednesday.

8:00 p. m.—Musical program from the Studio Ethel Carman, McCulloch, contralto; Catherine Emerson Mans; accompanist.

8:15 p. m.—Musical program from Orchestra Hall. Edison Symphony Orchestra, Morgan L. Eastman, conductor; Soloists, Wendell W. Hall, xylophone.

WOC—THE PALMER SCHOOL OF CHIROPRATIC DAVENPORT, IOWA

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1
10:45 a. m.—Time Signals (485 Meters).

11:00 a. m.—Weather (485 Meters).

11:05 a. m.—Opening Market Quotations and Agriograms.

12:00 Noon—Chimes Concert.

2:00 p. m.—Closing Stocks and Markets.

3:30 p. m.—Educational Talk, by Karl G. Stephan.

5:45 p. m.—Chimes Concert.

6:35 p. m.—Sandman's Visit.

7:00 p. m.—Artist Musical Program—Erwin Swindell, Musical Director.

Mrs. Frank Rehling, soprano; Gerald Hinrichs, pianist; E. H. Hass, reader; Nell Morrison, soprano.

Never judge what she thinks by what she says.

Oyster Stew



This little run-around of an oyster found a whisky bottle on the bottom of Chesapeake Bay, crawled in the neck of the bottle, and then proceeded to grow into a perfect stopper. He was found by oyster fishermen and is now the pet of a Baltimore saloon.

THE DAY'S EVENTS IN WASHINGTON

(By The Associated Press)

The federal radio control bill was passed by the house and sent to the senate.

Investigation by the federal trade commission into all phases of the cotton industry, was ordered by the senate.

The federal reserve board in a review of conditions reported renewed indications of recovery in the agricultural industry from months of depression.

The Bursum pension bill, recently vetoed, was reported by the senate pensions committee after some provisions objected to by President Harding had been eliminated.

The house military committee tabled the Bursum bill to authorize retirement of volunteer officers, disabled during the world war, on the same basis as regular army officers.

Railroads were directed by the interstate commerce commission to resume the sale of interchangeable mileage books at a 20 per cent reduction from regular passenger rates.

Customs officials estimated that duties on imports would exceed \$480,000,000 in the current fiscal year ending June 30, establishing a new record for government revenue from that source.

A resolution which would increase world wide limitation of narcotic and habit forming drug production was introduced by Chairman Porter of the house foreign affairs committee.

Rejection of the nomination of James C. McNary of New Mexico to be comptroller of the currency was understood to be favored by two of the three members of the senate subcommittee named to consider confirmation.

Rural credits legislation made progress in both houses of congress. The senate refused to recommit the Lovroot-Anderson bill and agreeing to vote on it Friday, while the house banking committee began hearings on the Capper proposal.

APPLES FOR SALE
Jonathans, Grimes Golden, Genetians, York Imperial, Winesap, Falome, Limbertwig, Ben Davies. Also pure fresh sweet cider. Call at CANNON'S PRODUCE CO.

TAKES GRAY TO ST. CHARLES SCHOOL
Sammy Gray, confessed local purse snatcher, was taken Wednesday to the St. Charles school for boys by Deputy Sheriff Edgar Jones.

Mrs. Mattie Jackson of this city has been called to Quincy on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Gray.

Peter Hines of Ashland was in the city yesterday calling on friends.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS
The Sheriff or Morgan County hereby gives notice to the public that he will collect taxes on the following dates, at

Waverly, at The First National Bank of Waverly, Tuesday, Feb. 6th, and at The Wemple State Bank, Wednesday, Feb. 7th.

Franklin, at The Franklin State Bank, Friday, Feb. 9th.

Meredosia, at The Farmers & Traders State Bank, Tuesday, Feb. 13th, and Wednesday, Feb. 14th.

Chapin, at Chapin State Bank, Friday, Feb. 16th.

Murrayville, at Murrayville State Bank, in the forenoon, Monday, Feb. 19th.

Woodson, at Woodson State Bank, in the afternoon Monday, Feb. 19th.

T. O. WRIGHT
Sheriff and Ex-Officio Collector

ALEXANDER TO HAVE BOY SCOUT TROOP

Organization to Be Effected a Meeting to Be Held Tomorrow Night—Other Alexander News.

Alexander, Jan. 31.—Alexander is to have a Boy Scout Troop in the near future if plans now being made are carried to completion. A meeting is to be held at the school house Friday evening for the purpose of taking the preliminary steps toward the organization of a troop, and it is hoped that a large number of the boys of Scout age will be present.

The movement here has been fostered by K. V. Bearup and the interest already manifested indicates that the required number of boys will be on hand for the formation of a troop. Scout Master Harry Walker of Jacksonville will be here to assist in the meeting.

News Notes.
Miss Margaret Jane Harrison was a Springfield visitor Wednesday.

Charles Davis and family made a trip to Springfield Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willets went to Jacksonville Wednesday on account of the illness of their son, Carl Willets. The latter underwent an operation for appendicitis Sunday night at a Jacksonville hospital.

Miss Theresa Ludwig was a shopper in Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mike and John Wiegand and Robert Saylor were among the Wednesday visitors to Jacksonville.

More and stronger chicks from Klondike or Old Reliable Incubators.

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ILL AT LITERBERRY
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Musterole insures quick relief from neuralgia. When those sharp pains go shooting through your head, just rub a little of this clean, white ointment on your temples and neck.

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SIGNALMEN ARE GRANTED 8-HOUR DAY
CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—The eight-hour day one of the working rules for which the Brotherhood of Railroad Signalmen fought hardest in their hearing for new wages and working rules, is granted the men by the railroad labor board in a decision issued today. This decision is the result of a hearing before the board when the signalmen reconsidered their strike vote taken with the shipmen last summer after reductions in wages became effective July 1 and the instituted new negotiations with the roads and took their case back to the board. The decision grants the signalmen time and a half for overtime

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THUMB NAIL SKETCH OF RUHR SITUATION
(Continued from Page One.)
The Franco-Belgian grip on the Ruhr is tightening. The occupation authorities have seized the entire customs of the Ruhr valley and have shut off all shipments of Ruhr coal to unoccupied Germany.
A serious situation has arisen at the mines. Only about half of the normal output is being brought to the surface and the supply of coal is fast diminishing. Though the output is small, coal is accumulating at the pit heads and the French admit that this may cause a suspension of operations within a few days.
The German railroad men who went on strike are displaying the determined front; they refuse to work, and traffic is tied up.
Essen has been shutoff by reason of the severing of telegraph and telephone communication and the scarcity of food through the Ruhr region is becoming more acute.
Herr Stinnes has discontinued German deliveries for the devastated area of France.
Gold marks to the amount of five hundred million due on the reparations account have not been paid by Germany. Therefore, unless Germany makes a satisfactory response to the last notification of France and Belgium these powers have decided to take still more rigorous measures that have been put into effect.

REGULAR GRAND JURY REVOTES INDICTMENT
(By The Associated Press)
CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—The regular Cook county grand jury today re-voted the blanket indictment returned by a special grand jury investigating school board affairs against Fred Lundin, position and twenty-three others charging them with conspiracy to obtain one million dollars from Chicago schools and other allegations. The new indictment according to officials will contain no charges in addition to those in the original indictment. No action by the regular grand jury was sought, according to aids of the attorney general, to preclude objections to the special grand jury's action.
William A. Bither, former attorney for the school board, Jeremiah O'Leary and Fred Krengle gave bonds on the blanket indictment today.
Clarence S. Darrow, attorney for Mr. Lundin said his client was returning to Chicago to face the charges.

MEMBER OF ADAMS GANG IS ARRESTED
Wichita, Kan., Jan. 31.—Basil Quilliam, under surveillance for some time by United States authorities was arrested here today. Twenty thousand dollars worth of registered liberty bonds were found in his possession according to chief of Detectives Sickelose.
Quilliam formerly was a member of the notorious Eddie Adams bandit Wichita police allege. Bond was set at \$10,000.

PREPARE BODY FOR BURIAL
Phoenix, Ariz., Jan. 31.—The body of George W. Stevenson pronounced dead by physicians eight days ago, but declared by his family to be in a state of suspended animation, was prepared for burial tonight after county physician, Felch and City Physician Garrison had performed an autopsy.

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MANIFESTATION OF GOOD WILL PREVENTS RUPTURE AT PARLEY
English Delegation Decides to Stay Until Sunday
(By The Associated Press)
LAUSANNE, Jan. 31.—The spirit of conciliation shown on all sides today prevented a rupture of the Near Eastern peace conference following formal presentation of the allied draft treaty to the Turks and the Italian good will manifested by the British, French and Italian delegations sidetracked any danger of a break in the allied front due to yesterday's developments.
Marquis Curzon the British foreign secretary changed his plans for leaving Lausanne on Friday and agreed to remain with his entire delegation until Sunday night. Meanwhile efforts will be made by private negotiations to obtain accord on the disputed point in the treaty.
R. W. Child, who as chief American spokesman delivered a striking address at today's meeting urging that peace be signed as soon as possible, has played an important part in dominating both in harmonizing the conflicting views of the allies as to the time limit to be given to the Turks and in convincing the Ottoman delegates that their national interests demand peace be concluded without delay.
Reasonable prospects of attaining an agreement probably by submission of several of the matters in conflict to arbitration saved the conference from shipwreck, induced the Turks to adopt a more moderate attitude and averted discord among the allies.
The result is that the Turks probably will not present their counter-projects at a formal session of the conference but will endeavor to iron out the difficulties speedily in private conferences.
Pasha Confers With Child
Ismet Pasha head of the Turkish delegation conferred with Mr. Child tonight in connection with the efforts of all parties to the controversy to find a basis of accord on the issues dividing them.
Today's developments brought a decided lessening in the tension between the Turks and the European powers and also between the British and French delegations who appeared to be trending toward division in consequence of the French determination not to end the conference abruptly when there still seemed a possibility of reaching an accord.
If the differences between the Turks and the allies are not solved by Sunday, when Marquis Curzon will leave for home and there appears to be likelihood of agreement the French and Italians probably will advocate a continuance of the conference. M. Bompard the chief French representative and Marquis di Giurino, Italy, earnestly counseled Marquis Curzon to grant a week's delay requested by Ismet Pasha for consideration by the Turks of the treaty with which the Turks had been officially presented.
Thereupon Curzon replied that he would postpone his departure until Sunday.
He thought that by working night and day all the business before the conference could be concluded this week.

HOUSE PASSES RADIO CONTROL BILL
(By The Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The federal radio control bill, vesting broad powers in the department of commerce for regulation and supervision of all phases of wireless telegraph and telephone communication was passed today by the house.
The bill is intended to bring order out of the chaos in the air as the result of thousands of stations competing on similar wave lengths. Licensing would be required from all transmitting operators except government employees and the secretary of commerce would assign wave lengths to various stations and supervise, where necessary, their sending periods.
A section of the bill dealing with possible monopolies of the wireless of the nation vests in the secretary the power to refuse or revoke licenses where a monopoly is threatened.
Amateur receiving stations would not be affected by the bill and amateur transmitters would have a special series of wave lengths set aside for them.

ONE KILLED IN SHOOTING AFFRAY
(By The Associated Press)
URBANA, Ill., Jan. 31.—Harry Florence, proprietor of a soft-drink establishment was shot and almost instantly killed tonight and John Elrod was slightly wounded in a shooting affray in an automobile.
Elrod, Oscar Corray, Elrod's cousin, and Ernest Solen are being questioned by the sheriff. Because of their conflicting stories the authorities have been unable to determine who did the shooting.
Florence, Corray and Solen drove to Elrod's home in an automobile as near as can be learned and called him out the shooting occurring shortly after he entered the machine. A fifth man is said to have been implicated in the shooting and is being sought.

GEORGIAN MUST RETURN FOR TRIAL
St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 31.—Alexis E. Georgian, Minneapolis book dealer, must return to Michigan to stand trial on a charge of violating the Michigan syndicalism law, according to a decision of the state supreme court today affirming the Hennepin county district court in denying the defendant a writ of habeas corpus.
Georgian is charged with attending a Communist convention in Berrien county, Michigan, August 17 to 20, 1922.
Sheriff George C. Bridgman of Michigan is in Minneapolis awaiting the arrest of Georgian by the Hennepin county sheriff.
CHANDLER WILL CONTEST ELECTION
New York, Jan. 31.—Representative Walter M. Chandler, Republican, announced tonight that on the ground of fraud he would contest yesterday's special election returns giving Sol Bloom, his Democratic opponent an unofficial plurality of 199 votes.
DECATUR MAN MAY GO TO ROME
Rockford, Ill., Jan. 31.—Adolph Mueller, head of the Mueller Manufacturing company, Decatur, Ill., was appointed today by J. H. Camlin, president of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce to represent the state organization at the International Chamber of Commerce conference to be held in Rome, Italy, March 18-24.
NO MORE COAL TO UNOCCUPIED GERMANY
Paris, Jan. 31.—The German charge d'affairs at Paris was notified this evening that after midnight no shipments of coal from the Ruhr to unoccupied Germany would be permitted. Henceforth only coal consigned to Italy would pass thru unoccupied Germany and a strict check was being kept on the departure of trains to prevent fraud.

APPROPRIATION BILLS NUMEROUS YESTERDAY
(Continued from Page One.)
endorsed on back of the ballot in ink or by lead pencil. Two companion measures amend the election acts making the same provisions.
Governor Small's budget went to the house to be considered by the appropriation committee.
Three committees, the appropriations, revenue and judicial which met late this afternoon will make their report tomorrow morning prior to adjournment of the house until next week.
Secretary of State Emmerson is preparing a bill regulating the lighting of automobile lights, and applying a certain kind of dimmer.
Secretary Emmerson may cause automobile owners of the state, if his bill is passed, to completely extinguish their vehicle lights upon reaching and passing within a certain distance upon state roads at night.
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LUNCH COUNTER MAN HELD FOR MURDER
(By The Associated Press)
DANVILLE, Ill., Jan. 31.—James Mittman, lunch car counter man, is held as a murder suspect, and Claude Morrow and Harry Dillinger as material witnesses, following receipt by the police on information that Harry G. Everingham, Spanish-American war veteran, member of the soldiers' home died as a result of blows received in a fight.
Mittman informed the police when Everingham's body was found in his lunch car that the man had dropped dead after purchasing a lunch. He later admitted having struck Everingham during an argument over change for a bill presented by Everingham.

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Do the clothes which hang on your line Monday morning glisten and gleam in the sunlight? If not you may be sure your neighbors are talking and branding you as a careless housekeeper. For there is no longer an excuse for poorly washed clothes.
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Social Events

Miss Helen Mandeville will be a guest to a number of her friends evening at her home on West 30th avenue. The guests are a number of her class mates at College who belong to a which meets every few weeks. The affair tonight is to be a Valentine party and entertainment games and pretty favors in with this popular fete day be used.

Weddings Given Charivari.
Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gruber who were married last Sunday were guests of a royal charivari day evening at their home on 14th Diamond street. The merry-makers were a number of young people of the Salem Lutheran church and after making a great

deal of noise they were invited in and a gay evening was spent with games and music. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

Teachers Enjoy Supper.
The teachers and officers of the central Sunday school met at the church last evening for their monthly supper and meeting. After an excellent supper had been served a business meeting was held and plans for the Sunday school were discussed. A. C. Metcalf, superintendent of the school presided.

To Give Shower for Brides.
Miss Opal Windmiller, Miss Ruth Armstrong and Miss Beulah Rice will be joint hostesses at a party to be given this evening at Miss Rice's home on West College avenue in honor of Mrs. Walter Tegels and Mrs. C. F. Bunch, who are both brides of a few weeks. The affair is to be a champagne rush and about forty friends of the young brides have been invited. After the gifts have been opened the evening will be devoted to a general good time with dancing, as the main feature of entertainment. Attractive refreshments are to be served and a delightful evening is anticipated.

Members to History Class.
Miss J. C. Vosseler entertained the members of the History class yesterday afternoon at her home in West College avenue. "The High Kingdom of the Movies" was the topic of the program which was led by Miss Grace Carter. She was assisted in presenting the subject by Mrs. W. B. Young, Mrs. A. R. Gregory and Mrs. H. H. Bancroft. Afternoon tea was served by the hostess during the social hour following the program.

Children of American Revolution Elect Officers Yesterday.
The Senior Division of the Children of the American Revolution met yesterday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. A. L. Adams on West College street. This was the annual business meeting and the following officers were elected:

Vice President—Farrell Crabtree
Secretary—Margaret Miller.
Registrar—George Adams.
Treasurer—Eleanor Andre.
Mrs. Adams is the president and managing officer of the C. A. R. society in Jacksonville. At this meeting plans were also perfected for the Morgan County Centennial party which the society is to give at the Duncan Memorial Home on Friday evening, February 9th. Allan Kelly was appointed chairman of the music committee for his event. Margaret Faye Hopper was named as the refreshment committee chairman and Margaret Miller will have charge of the invitations. A delightful social hour came at the close of the meeting.

Lutheran Aid Society Meets Today.
Mrs. Sophie Pechloff will be the hostess at a meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of Salem Lutheran church this afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Brune of North Main street. This is the regular meeting of the society and the time will be spent with sewing and making quilts for the hospitals. There will also be a short business meeting. The remainder of

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the afternoon will be devoted to a social hour and attractive refreshments will be served.

Invitations Issued For Reception.
Invitations have been issued by President and Mrs. J. R. Harker to the annual students' reception at Illinois Woman's College. The reception will be given the evening of February 10th, and all of the faculty and students are privileged to invite one guest to the affair.

LYNNVILLE LODGE HAS MEETING.
The Gilt Lodge No. 382 of Lynnville had a special meeting last evening at the Masonic Hall in Lynnville. Work was put on during the first part of the evening and this was followed by the serving of supper. A number of visitors from other lodges had been invited for the meeting and the evening was very enjoyably spent. Guests were present from Winchester, Jacksonville and E.ter.

WFL Entertain Club.
Mrs. Don Butler will entertain the members of the Thursday Bridge Club this afternoon at the Tea Tray on West State street. Two tables will be made up for cards and the time spent in playing. An attractively afternoon luncheon will be served after the cards. Pretty Valentine favors and colors are to be used for the fair.

Salem Ladies Serve Dinner.
The Ladies' Aid Society of Salem M. E. church served a goose dinner Wednesday noon at the home of W. C. Thompson, east of Jacksonville. The ladies serve a dinner each week and the members and their families are all invited. The dinner menu which was served yesterday included roast goose and all the good things that go with it. Those in charge of the dinner were Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. W. C. Chry, Mrs. Henry Morthole and Mrs. R. E. Phillips.

Sinclair Club Meets.
The regular meeting of the Sinclair Country club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chester Wilson. Papers on "Home Demonstrations and Farm Diet," were read by Mrs. Albert Hopper and Mrs. John Hunter. During the social hour refreshments were served.

The following officers were elected during the business session:
President—Mrs. Val Seivers.
Vice President—Mrs. Charles Beecher.
Secretary—Mrs. Charles Hairgrove.
Assistant Secretary—Mrs. John Hunter.
Treasurer—Mrs. Walter Wheeler.
The next meeting will be held with Miss Ann Mae Silson, February 14.

Salem Ladies Aid Holds Meeting.
The Salem Ladies Aid Society held its regular meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Thompson with eighty-five members and guests present. It was an all day affair and at the noon hour a sumptuous dinner was served under the direction of Mrs. Phillips, chairman of the society assisted by Mrs. Dadds. The regular meeting was opened with song, scripture reading and prayer. Following the business session Mrs. Roy Fox gave several vocal selections and papers were read by Mrs. Henry Morthole and Mrs. Oddy. Two new members were taken into the society at this meeting.
The next meeting will be March 1 at the home of Mrs. F. Green.

Entertained Pinochle Club.
Mr. and Mrs. John Carl entertained the Good Time Pinochle club at their home in East College avenue last night. The party was in honor of Mrs. Charles McHatten of Columbus, Ohio.
Prizes were won by Mrs. Clarence Layze, Mrs. Clarence Taylor and George Brown. At a late hour refreshments were served.

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Mrs. W. W. Young will entertain the Baptist Aid on Thursday the 1st day of Feb.
The Dunlap property, just east of our town is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Boyd and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lifer will move into the "Crum Villa" residence, they having rented the farm from Mrs. S. H. Crum.
Services at the Baptist church are announced for Sunday morning and evening by Rev. Ben Johnson.

Mrs. Mary Gish of Peoria boulevard is quite sick with a cold and threatened pneumonia.
The Literberry mission circle met last Friday afternoon at Sunshine cottage. Mrs. Edgar Cotschall, the president, had charge of the meeting and read the 4th chapter of Mark.
Song, in the Garden.
Prayer by Mrs. J. A. Lifer.
The topic for the meeting was missionary work taught in the Sunday school. There was a motion that Mrs. W. W. Daniels become an assistant in introducing this work of missions to the Baptist children. Mrs. John Guy already holds the position of the Superintendent of childrens division of the International Sunday school work of this precinct. Mrs. Daniels is an assistant at the Baptist church only.
Mrs. J. A. Lifer gave a good reading on the beautiful life of Ruth, the bible character, of her love for Naomi and her marriage to the rich Boaz and the home life of her family.
Miss Edith Scribner and Mrs. Warren Daniels will furnish the program for the February meeting which will be at Sunny Slope with Mrs. William Brown hostess.

MORGAN
Alfred Anderson was a business caller in Jacksonville Monday.
Orville Robbins is again on the sick list he having suffered a relapse.
William Morthole moved onto the Kilver farm near Ovilla and Lawrence Rue moved onto the farm vacated by Mr. Morthole.
Owen Hamilton and Clyde Williams were business callers in the Arezville and Meredosa neighborhood Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams attended the funeral of Mrs. James Kesterson at Bluffs Monday.
Owen Hamilton and family were Monday shoppers in Jacksonville.
Fritz Schome and family have been under the doctor's care suffering with tonsillitis and grippe.
Harmon Rahe shipped a car load of hogs to St. Louis Thursday.
Henry Depner sold three fine mules to H. Perbix Saturday.
Owen Hamilton sold a span of mules to William Young of Jacksonville last week.
Herbert Owens has purchased the property in Bethel, formerly owned by Willis Riekey. Herbert expects to move to Bethel in the near future.

ELM GROVE
Misses Mary Welsh, Belle and Marie Lewis spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Bernice Hamel.
Eunice Seymour visited with Mrs. Will Schofield Saturday afternoon.
Miss Mary Fearnough, Mr. and Mrs. Will Schofield and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schofield and grandson, Rexel, were Sunday guests of Walter Fearnough and family.
Harold Hamel and Elmer Lewis spent Sunday afternoon with Chester and Cleot Stateforth.
Mr. and Mrs. Yates Potter who have been ill with scarlet fever are much improved now.

YATESVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Myers of Jacksonville are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stice.
Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shortridge spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Isacos of Prentice.
Mrs. Henry Yancy and daughter of Ashland at Mrs. Frank Sharpe of Peoria spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Ollie Moore.
Mrs. Stephen Wood is on the sick list.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL TURNS IN BIG SUM
Springfield, Ill.—By the A. P. —The Illinois Central railroad, which, under its charter is required to pay to the state seven percent of its gross earnings, has turned into the state treasury in 67 years, \$52,152,786.72.
The largest yearly gross receipts of the road were \$44,775,590.13 of which the state's share was \$3,134,291.31 according to the treasurer's report. This was for the year ending April 30, 1922.
The receipts date from March 24, 1855. From that date to April 30, 1855, a period of about 13 months, the road's gross receipts were \$1,225,611.18. For the first year and a half of its existence the road paid into the state five percent of its gross earnings. The first payment was \$29,751.59.

STATE CONVENTION OF ROTARY CLUBS
Danville—The state convention of Rotary clubs is to be held here March 21. Among the events planned are a reception and ball for the night of March 20, followed by an all day meeting on March 21, closing with a banquet.
The king of England theoretically possesses the power of vetoing laws he does not like, but this right has not been exercised since 1707.

INCREASING CHAOS IN RHINELAND

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—Reports from all points in the Rhineland and occupied Ruhr areas tonight reflect a condition of increasing chaos in all branches of the German official administration growing out of the drastic procedure of the Franco-Belgian military and civil officials and the stubbornly determined resistance with which the German population is flouting the occupation authorities.

At Essen the railway men today held a significant confidential meeting at which a definite line of action was decided on in case the French persist in blocking railway transportation. Arrests and deportations of government officials and employees are reported from scores of new points on both sides of the Rhine, the French especially seeking out local revenue and tax collectors from whom they demand official records and archives and even the keys to their vaults. In all cases the German officials are stoutly resisting whereupon they are immediately sent into unoccupied Germany. The entire staff of railway officials at Essen has been arrested. The local French commanders in all the Ruhr towns have been ordered to withdraw General DeGoutte's order to the populace to keep of the streets after 10 o'clock in the evening. This decision was taken because the civilians refused to stay indoors.

MURRAYVILLE CLUB IS ENTERTAINED
Domestic Science Club Spends Delightful Afternoon at Home of Mrs. H. G. Strang.

Murrayville, Jan. 31.—One of the most delightful events of the club year was that at the home of Mrs. H. G. Strang, Wednesday afternoon, when members of the Murrayville Domestic Science club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Strang at a 1 o'clock luncheon.
An elegant menu was served by the hostess, consisting of hot rolls, butter, creamed potatoes, creamed parsnips, Waldorf salad, with whipped cream, apple butter, country sausage, two kinds of cake, Bavarian cream and coffee.
The hours were from 1 to 2:30 o'clock were spent socially. At 2:30 o'clock the regular club program was given as follows:

Club prayer, followed by short business session.
Roll call, "A Successful, Useful, Modern Home Invention."
Paper, "Dippings from the Stream, or Gems from the Stream of Life." This paper was by Mrs. Arthur Seymour and contained wonderful and beautiful thoughts, the choicest riches of the minds of men, and was an inspiration to those who heard it.
Next came a victrola selection. The climax of the afternoon's program was the discussion of "Is it better to live in modern days with all new inventions, ideas and ways, or to live in the days of our grandmothers?" The discussion was interesting and both sides presented many good points. The judges finally decided in favor of the negative, the judges being Mrs. C. R. Short, Mrs. B. D. Cade and Mrs. Charles Lettze.

This feature closed the program and a short social time was then enjoyed before the members and guests departed for their homes.
The guests were Mrs. H. B. Rimbey, of Murrayville; Mrs. J. C. Andras, Mrs. C. D. Chapman, and Mrs. Charles Lettze, Manchester; Mrs. B. D. Cade, Mrs. C. R. Short and Mrs. C. J. Wright of Jacksonville.
The word "bulldoze" found its way into the dictionary just after the Hayes-Tilden presidential contest, when a negro used it in describing before an election investigation board how he was prevented from voting.

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MURRAYVILLE

Mrs. Charles Spencer of Roodhouse spent several days this week at the home of her father George Gault, caring for her sister Miss Lula who is in poor health.

S. D. Robinson visited the parents in Petersburg Tuesday.
Relatives and friends here have received an announcement of the arrival of a son Sunday Jan. 21st at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Osborne in Detroit, Mich. The young man's name is John Thomas, being named for the grandfathers.

Mrs. C. E. Waters has been confined to her home the past week by illness.

Miss Gertrude Riley of Ashland is a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Beades.
Mrs. Lucy Mellor who has been a patient at Our Savior's Hospital for some time, was brought to the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Story Saturday morning.

Dorothy Fern the little daughter Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanback has been quite sick for the past two weeks.

The young's Woman's Auxiliary of the M. E. church held a market Saturday afternoon which was liberally patronized.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Clemmons of Centuria came Saturday for a short visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Osborne.
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Strang entertained a number of relatives of Mr. Sterling at dinner Sunday the company included, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Masters, Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wyatt and Mrs. Clara Crouse White Hall; Mrs. Mary E. Wright and daughter Miss Mildred and son Benjamin Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright and daughter Eliza Ellen, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Spencer and daughter Miss Margaret and son Clarence and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wyatt.

RICKARD TO ANNOUNCE HIS FIGHT PLANS TODAY

New York, Jan. 31.—Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, said tonight that he expects to announce definitely tomorrow what his plans are for staging championship bouts between Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight titleholder, and those of his challengers who have been mentioned in recent discussion of proposed fights.
The option for which Rickard paid \$1,000 to Jack E. Kars, Dempsey's manager, to restrain the

champion from coming to an agreement with any other promoter for six days expires tomorrow midnight the promoter said, and if he is to sign a contract with E. Kars at all, he believes it will be done tomorrow at least in a preliminary way.

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In compiling this story of a century ago errors may have crept in and important facts may have been omitted. Suggestions and corrections will be acceptable.

The Red Men
The Illinois Confederacy
The Indians met in the Illinois country by Joliet and Marquette were of the Illinois confederacy, known as the Illini, which was made up of the Kaskaskias, the leading tribe, located in the valley of the upper Illinois; the Peorias who occupied the region about the lake of that name, the Moingwens a small tribe whose home was about the mouth of the Des Moines river.

The Tamaras who occupied the region on both sides of the Mississippi river about the mouths of the Illinois and Missouri rivers, and the Cahokias, a roving tribe which finally located about Cahokia in the American bottom.

The Illinois Indians had earlier occupied the region near Lake Superior and were probably driven into Illinois by enemies. They claimed to be superior men but were of no special distinction except that they gave their name to our state. They were tall, strong, robust, swift runners and good archers, but they were also idle, wandering, revengeful, jealous, cunning, dissolute and thieves, according to Membre. La Fontaine says they were immoral. They seem to have been a degenerate people, timid, fickle and treacherous. They claimed all the lands from the sources of the Illinois to the Ohio and Mississippi rivers and were always at war with other tribes, which coveted their lands. The Iroquois of New York, probably incited to do so by British traders, attacked them repeatedly until in a descent made upon them in 1680 they almost annihilated them, scattering dead and wounded along the Illinois river from its sources to its mouth. La Salle descended the Illinois river just after the Iroquois attack and saw the result of the slaughter. In 1800 they were reduced, according to Gov. Reynolds, to about 150 warriors.

The Illinois roamed the country both by water and overland and made a comparatively easy living on game and fish they were expert hunters, fishers and trappers.

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and on the fruits and nuts of the forest and the corn, beans and pumpkins raised on the fertile lands adjacent to the rivers by the old men and the women. The Illinois welcomed the French and their friendship was never interrupted, they hunted and traded together and even intermarried, but the alliance at first beneficial to both in the end proved as fatal.

The Kickapoo
The Kickapoo, including the Mascoutas, were known as the Prairie Indians and occupied the valleys of the Sangamon, Vermilion and Mackinaw and the prairies between the Illinois and Wabash rivers including those of the present Morgan county. In 1759 they were the largest tribe in Illinois. Superior to the surrounding tribes in energy and intelligence, they were persistent and uncompromising enemies of the whites and for many years kept the early settlers in continual alarm. They were more industrious and cleanly than their neighbors, were probably the best farmers of all the natives of Illinois and raised abundant crops.

The Sauks and Foxes
The Sauks and Foxes came to the Rock River country in 1718 from the Green Bay region of Wisconsin, whence they were driven by numerous enemies. Except for raiding parties they were probably never south of the Illinois river. They were restless and discontented nomads, with their hands against every man and every man's hands against them. Physically and morally they were the most striking of the natives but were penurious, avaricious, thievish and quarrelsome. Brave, adventurous and warlike, they made repeated attacks on the white settlements and finally in 1832 under the leadership of Black Hawk attempted to stop the march of the whites across Illinois only to be defeated after the one determined and general contest every made by Indians in the Illinois country against the whites.

The Potawatomis
The Potawatomis, called "Fire Makers" or "Squatters," a remnant of the Chippewas or Ojibwas, drifted west from the St. Lawrence region and located around the head waters of the Illinois river. They perpetrated the massacre of Ft. Dearborn in 1812 but later became friendly with the whites and were among the last Indians to leave Illinois.

The Winnebagoes
The Winnebagoes or "Fish Eaters" were of Sioux stock and were located in northwestern Illinois and Wisconsin. In 1827 they attacked a boat on the Mississippi river and precipitated the so-called Winnebago war.

A Battle Ground
For centuries Illinois had been a battle ground, a bone of contention among the red men. Every section of it had witnessed savage atrocities before the coming of the whites. After the coming of the whites it continued a place of struggle until the Indians were finally removed from its soil.

Fortunately Illinois was not the scene of so many bloody conflicts between the reds and the whites as many other sections of our country. Except during the War of 1812, there was little trouble between the reds and whites.

Illinois, to the great good fortune of the pioneers, thanks to the kindly treatment of the red men and consideration shown to them by the early French, escaped almost entirely the border warfare which both elder and younger states so often suffered.

(To be Continued)

SHURTLEFF WILL PLAY ILLINOIS SATURDAY

Will Appear at David Prince Saturday Night—Strength of Team Unknown.

Shurtleff College will be the next opponent of Illinois here Saturday night in David Prince gym. Last year Illinois played Shurtleff two games and won both of them. However, not much is known of the strength of Shurtleff this season as Illinois has played no teams that have played Shurtleff.

Shurtleff may show a strong team this year while Illinois does not seem to be as strong as a year ago, or at least the team since the St. Louis game has not shown the form of a year ago.

Capt. Mellon has been under the weather somewhat this week but probably will be out in time for the Shurtleff game. Hiatt who has been out with an injured toe is also greatly improved and may be able to play a part of the game.

Examinations this week have knocked out practice. Coach Harmon told the men that passing their examinations was of more importance than practice at this time. There has been no practice this week and the work the squad will get Friday night is all it will have before the Shurtleff game.

Millard of Illinois Wesleyan, sporting editor of the Decatur Review will be the referee.

MEREDOSIA DEFEATED BLUFFS HIGH SCHOOL

Meredosia, Ill., Jan. 31.—Meredosia high defeated Bluffs high here last night by a score of 27 to 14. The work of Walsh, Hyde, Yeakel and Bushnell made Meredosia's points. Walsh made more points than the entire Bluffs team. Yeakel did good work at center considering it was his first game at the position.

Meehan, Hyle, Knoeppel and Easley scored the points for Bluffs.

Meredosia plays Baylis Friday night and Griggsville will be met on the Griggsville floor Saturday night. The score:

Meredosia	F.G.	F.T.	Ts.
Walsh, f	8	0	16
Hyde, f	3	1	7
Yeakel, c	1	0	2
Skinner, g	0	0	0
Bushnell, g	1	0	2
Totals	13	1	27
Bluffs	F.G.	F.T.	Ts.
Meehan, f	1	0	2
Hyle, f	1	2	4
Knoeppel, c	3	0	6
Kliver, g	0	0	0
Easley, g	1	0	2
Merriss, g	0	0	0
Totals	6	2	14

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BILL MEILHORN LEADS FIRST ROUND
Corpus Christi, Texas, Jan. 31.—Bill Meilhorn, Shreveport, La., professional led on the first 36 holes in the Corpus Christi open tournament here today with a score of 144. Jim Barnes of New York, former national open champion, was runner up with 145.

Johnny Farrell of New York turned in the third best score of the day with 146 and Freddy McLeod of Washington, D. C., followed with 149.

H. S. Long of Chicago teed off from the sixth hole this morning and made 71 in one shot.

KNOX WORKOUT FOR COE GAME

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 31.—The Knox college basketball team has been having stiff practice and scrimmage sessions this week in preparation for the Coe college game here on Friday.

MEYERS GOES TO COAST FOR SEVEN MATCHES

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Johnny Meyers of Chicago, middleweight wrestling champion, left tonight for the Pacific coast to engage in seven contests in defense of his title. His first opponent will be Young Sandow at Los Angeles, February 7.

WHITE MATCHED WITH KANSAS

New York, Jan. 31.—Charley White, of Chicago and Rocky Kansas of Buffalo, lightweight, today were matched for a fifteen round bout at Madison Square Garden, February 9.

ILLINI FIVE FACES TOUGH SCHEDULE

UABANA, Ill., Jan. 31.—Illinois basketball players, emerging from the examination ordeals successfully, turn to the north this week. Coach Ruby's lads invade Minneapolis on Friday for their first battle with the Doc Cooke's Gophers.

The Illini are still smarting over the defeat by Purdue and hope to make better showing in the arduous February campaign. On their return from Gopherdom the first local test is against Neils Norstrom's Maroons on February 7. Two invasions of Indiana follow, one to Indiana on February 12 and the other to Purdue on February 17. Minnesota comes to the local court on February 19 and February 26 will bring Michigan.

The final battle of the season is with Ohio on the Illinois floor. A pretty stiff card, this which awaits Ruby's athletes. They haven't the brawn and stamina of some of the fives which they must encounter. Potter and Popken are especially light and Walter Roettger, chief point scorer, is not a horse for punishment. Capt. Hellstrom and Lipe can stand the gaff a little better. All in all the Illini are not the type of a brawny, husky outfit that can range up and down the floor without getting tired.

Basketball will be the chief interest during the month but swimming and wrestling devotees will also find entertainment. February 10 will be a gala day in these events as the swimmers meet Purdue that afternoon and the wrestlers grapple Purdue's mat men at night. Seating accommodations for swimming are limited but there is plenty of room for wrestling fans. Many fans from Central Illinois towns are planning to see the bouts.

BREAKS RECORD THAT STOOD FOR 41 YEARS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Jimmy Connelly, Georgetown University broke the world's record for the two thirds mile run indoors at the Madison Athletic Club games in Madison Square Garden tonight when he won the second section of this special event in 2:43.3-5.

A new American record for 60 yards was created by Loren Murchison, St. Louis sprinter who defeated a fleet field in six and two tenths seconds, clipping one tenth of a second off the record established in 1882 by K. E. Meyers and since duplicated by 17 runners.

HEYDLER OBJECTS TO LICENSING BALL PLAYERS

Boston, Jan. 31.—President John A. Heydler of the National League differs with Pres. Ban Johnson of the American League on the question of licensing baseball players.

Joseph A. Collier, who has introduced a bill in the legislature which will be given a hearing tomorrow, providing for state licenses for professional ball players, received a letter from the national league head today characterizing the proposal as impracticable.

"Such a law would be considered another abridgement of personal liberty," Heydler wrote.

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NO DEMPSEY-Willard MATCH IN NEW JERSEY

Newark, N. J., Jan. 31.—A boxing match between heavyweight Champion Jack Dempsey and his challenger, Jess Willard will not be permitted in New Jersey, Chairman Louis Massano of the state boxing commission announced tonight.

JENNINGS OFFERS ADVICE TO RUTH

What ails Babe Ruth? Have the pitchers discovered his weakness? Can Ruth come back? What is his biggest problem?

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Hughy Jennings, who assists John McGraw in managing the New York Giants, has a system which he believes would soon make Ruth the most-feared batter in the majors.

"Pitchers now realize that pitching fast and on the inside to Ruth is fatal. His terrific swing and his stance at the plate makes such a soft picking," says Jennings.

"Incidentally, the infield so shifts on Ruth that many a baseball is gobbled up on him that under ordinary conditions would go safe."

"Ruth cannot hit effectively pitchers who have a good change of pace. This is due to his position at the plate and the fact he takes a free swing at every pitch."

"What Ruth should do is to mix them up on the pitchers. If I was him I would hug the plate and choke up on the bat. That would make it an easy matter to drop a lot of Texas leaguers into left field, which is entirely vacant because of the way the outfielders shift on him. An occasional bunt would also keep the infield guessing."

"Nothing will help Ruth back into his stride any quicker than fear on the part of the pitchers. Ruth can bring this about if he will forget home runs for a time and content himself with singles and doubles."

"The pitchers now have a decided edge on Ruth, because of his stance at the plate and the fact that he is a free swinger. He should change his style—mix 'em up."

BABE ADAMS TO BE WITH PIRATES

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 31.—Babe Adams, veteran pitcher of the Pittsburgh National baseball team notified the Pirate management tonight that he would sign a contract to play with Pittsburgh during the coming season.

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GOLF MEETING

Chicago.—By the A. P.—The annual meeting of the Western Golf association will be held here Saturday for the purpose of electing officers and directors for the ensuing year, awarding tournaments for 1923 and discussing proposed amendments to the association's constitution. Albert R. Gates, of Chicago, is president of the association.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Emily Nichols, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Emily Nichols, late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the April term, on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 23rd day of January, A. D. 1923.
CHARLES W. NICHOLS, Administrator.
J. O. PRIEST, Attorney for Administrator.

FRANKLIN SWAMPS BLUFFS MERCHANTS

Independents Defeated Opponents by Score of 46 to 18—Seymours Make Most of Points

Franklin, Jan. 31.—The Franklin Independents swamped the Bluffs Merchants here tonight, the Scott county visitors being buried under an avalanche of scores.

When the final whistle sounded the score was 56 to 18 in favor of Franklin. N. Seymour made a total of 28 points while W. Seymour chalked up 20. Rawlings contributed the remaining points with four field goals.

Roofs, Thompson and Kliver made the points for Bluffs. Whether it was leniency in the officiating is not known, but strange to say, neither team committed a foul which is something unusual for independent teams. The score:

Bluffs	F.G.	F.T.	Ts.
Roofs, f	4	0	8
Thompson, f	3	0	6
Kliver, c	2	0	4
Arnold, g	0	0	0
Northrup, g	0	0	0
Totals	9	0	18

Franklin	F.G.	F.T.	Ts.
N. Seymour, f	15	0	28
W. Seymour, f	10	0	20
Rawlings, c	4	0	8
Burchett, g	0	0	0
Wynn, g	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	56

Referee, Lash, Franklin high school. Timer, Rawlings.

PENN STATE RUNNER WINS 600 YARD RACE

New York, Jan. 31.—Allan B. Helffrich, Penn State national one-half mile champion, won the 600 yard invitation race for the E. H. Post trophy in 1:13 4-5, only two-fifths of a second slower than the American record held by Thomas J. Halpin, Boston A. A.

ROBERTSON MAY JUMP WHITE SOX

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Charlie Robertson, White Sox pitcher, is considering jumping from the American League to the Midwest

JOIE RAY BREAKS OWN WORLD'S RECORD

New York, Jan. 31.—Joie Ray of the Illinois A. C. broke his own world's record the mile and a half in the Millrose Athletic Club at Madison Square Garden night by finishing in 6:41 and 4-5 seconds.

This gave Ray his second man Wanamaker cup, trophy, and marked the sixteenth year that he has won this race. His previous record was 6:42 and 3-5 was made last year.

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rooms west end. Phone 584V
1-21-1f

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished
bed room. 814 South Main
Phone 1164X. 1-28-1f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy and
harness, 925 Beesly Ave. Phone
1692 W. 1-24-1f

FOR SALE—Five shoats, 307 E.
Michigan. 2-1-3

CHIROPRACTORS

H. C. MONTGOMERY
Chiropractor
Bail Phone 7 Ill Phone 176
348 West State St.

E. O. Hess, Chiropractor
Palmer Graduate
(Spine Specialist)
Office 74½ E. Side Square
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Consultation and analysis
free. Office phone 1771.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



IT SURELY OUGHT TO



BY BLOSSER

FOR SALE—Clover seed, govern-
ment tested. Phone 208, Seav-
ers' blacksmith shop. 1-26-1f

FOR SALE—An ideal home, con-
sisting of 25 acres, one mile
north of Pisgah. Good im-
provements with new hog
house, barn, poultry house, and
other buildings. New fences.
Nice 6 room house newly paint-
ed. Possession at once. \$3,000
down, balance on time. A. B.
Applebee. 1-26-1f

FOR SALE—Ford Sedan. Call
Ideal garage. Phone 360.
1-26-6f

FOR SALE OR RENT—My resi-
dence, 860 North Church St.,
Jacob Cohen. Inquire next
door. Mrs. Ben Cohen, phone
1056. 12-16-1f

FOR SALE—Majestic range, No.
18 Round Oak Heater; good
condition. 740 East North St.
11-12-1f

FOR SALE—Homes in all parts
of the city, also farms. Phone
433X. 1-23-1f

FOR SALE—Cheap; building to
be moved; suitable for garage
or other building. Phone 224.
12-14-1f

FOR SALE—Fine white oak
fence post and hardwood tim-
ber sawed to order. Eli A. Ro-
ger, Ill. phone 2. 1-28

FOR SALE—Eight room house,
1½ acres, good outbuildings, in
city. Offered at a bargain.
owner leaving town; will carry
half purchase price. Phone
461X. 1-28-6f

FOR SALE—Tested clover, al-
falfa, sweet clover, alfalfa, tim-
othy and blue grass seed. P. W.
Fox. 1-17-1f

FOR SALE—Dining room table,
steel folding bed, clock, couch;
few other articles. 723 North
Prairie St. 1-21-1f

TURKEYS—A few Bourbon Red
Toms, left, real beauties, at
\$10.00—hens all sold. Phone
or write, H. C. Pond, Meredosia
or Arenzville, Ill. 1-27-1f

FOR SALE—Used typewriter,
good condition. Fred O. Ran-
son. 216 S. Main St. 1-28-1f

FOR SALE—Splendid building
lot on South Main street. Geo.
H. Harney. 1-20-1f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acre
farm, Scott county, near good
shipping point. G. D. Box 235,
Manchester, Ill. 11-26-1f

FOR SALE—Fine white oak
fence posts and hardwood tim-
ber sawed to order. Eli A.
Roger, Illinois phone 2. 1-27-1f

FOR SALE—I am in the poultry
business again and booking
orders for baby chicks, Rhode-
island Reds a specialty, or will
set your eggs for you very rea-
sonable. F. J. Henderson,
Woodson exchange. 1-30-1mo

FOR SALE—Choice building lot,
corner West College avenue
and Prospect street, 75 feet front
on West College Avenue. Pay-
ment paid. Call evenings 133
Prospect street. 1-30-1f

FOR SALE—A "Florence" Heat-
ing stove. Call at Battery Ser-
vice Station, 217 South Main
Street. 1-30-3f

FOR SALE—502 Jordan street—
White Enamel Baby Bed and
Mattress; Baby Cart; Porch
gate and Play Pen. 1-31-1f

FOR SALE—Hoffman upright pi-
ano, good condition; cheap.
Apply at Hught's store, 748
West Lafayette avenue. 1-31-3f

FOR SALE—Walnut dining room
suite, eight pieces, new; only
one left. Priced to sell quick.
People's Furniture Co. 1-31-3f

FOR SALE—Good Linsseed oil
barrels. 221 W. Court street.
1-30-1f

FOR SALE—Fresh cow 1629 So.
Main street. T. J. Quinn.
Phone. 2-1-3f

BABY CHICKS—Place your order
now for bred to lay chicks
\$10.50 per 100. Send for cata-
logue; 97 percent delivery.
Sieb's Hatchery, Lincoln, Ill.
Box O. 2-1-1mo

FOR SALE—Modern seven room
house; good condition; large
lot; paved garage; priced to
sell. A. R. Myrick, 236 East
Morgan. 1-27-1f

FOR SALE—Coal burning colony
brooder, \$10. Mrs. C. C. Car-
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LICENSED TO MARRY
John Morris, Arcadia; Miss
Naomi Laughary, Arcadia.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
ESTATE OF Emma B. Wag-
goner, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been
appointed Executor of the estate
of Emma B. Waggoner, late of
the County of Morgan and State
of Illinois, hereby gives notice
that he will appear before the
County Court of Morgan County,
at the Court House in Jackso-
ville, at the April term, on the
first Monday in April next, at
which time all persons having
claims against said estate are no-
tified and requested to attend for
the purpose of having the same
adjusted.

All persons indebted to said es-
tate are requested to make im-
mediate payment to the undersig-
ned.

Dated this 26th day of January,
A. D. 1923.

GEORGE HOLLEY, Executor.

SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of an Execution to me
directed by the Clerk of the Court
of the First National Bank of
Waverly, Illinois, Plaintiff and
against Vernon Austiff, Defend-
ant, I have levied upon all the
right, title, interest and claim of
the said Vernon Austiff in and to
the following described Real Es-
tate to-wit:

The South Half of the North-
west Quarter of the Southeast
Quarter of Section Twenty-six
(26).

And the Northeast Quarter of
the Southwest Quarter of Section
Twenty-six (26);

And the Northwest Quarter of
the Southwest Quarter of the
Northwest Quarter of Section
Thirty-five (35) all of which is
in Township Thirteen (13) North,
Range Nine (9) west of the Third
Principal Meridian, Situated in
the County of Morgan in the State
of Illinois.

As the property of the said Ver-
non Austiff which I shall offer at
public sale, to the highest bidder
for cash in hand, at the south
door of the Court House, in Jack-
sonville, Illinois, on Saturday,
17th day of February, A. D. 1923,
at 2 o'clock P. M. to satisfy said
Execution.

T. O. WRIGHT, Sheriff Morgan
County.

This 29th day of January 1923.

FOR SALE—White Rock cock-
erels. Mrs. Claude Jewsbury,
phone 5426. 1-27-6f

FOR SALE—One bay driving
mare; one stone barrel churn.
619 South Prairie Street.
1-26-1f

FARM BARGAIN—We have one
of the real bargains of the year
—131 1-2 acres located 5 miles
southeast Winchester; well im-
proved, dandy 7 room house,
well, cistern, cellar, plenty of
fruit, large barn, also smaller
barn, shed, house and barn all
most new; good running spring.
If it appeals to you get busy at
once. Inquire Thomas Ryan,
Alsey, Ill. 1-23-1f

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Market Report

By The
Associated
Press

FOREIGN SHIPMENTS
SET BACK WHEAT PRICES

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Expected
large shipments to Europe from
Argentina and other competing
countries had a good deal to do
today with bringing about a set-
back here in the price of wheat,
closing quotations were unsettled
1 to 1½¢ net lower, with May
\$1.16½ to \$1.17 and July \$1.11½
to \$1.12. Corn finished unchang-
ed to 1½¢ higher, oats at 1½¢ decline
to 1½¢ advance and provisions
exactly the same as yesterday's
close. Lower quotations at Liver-
pool gave particular emphasis to
reports of prospective world ship-
ments and to assertions that Ar-
gentina especially was offering
wheat much cheaper than the
grain was being tendered from the
United States. Besides the decline
at Liverpool was directly in the
face of material advance here yester-
day. With no signs apparent
of an important export business
developing in this country and
with rains visiting most of the
domestic winter crop belt, com-
mission houses were free sellers
at times and the market fell to
the lowest level of the day before.

Something of a recovery which
took place in wheat values dur-
ing the last half of the day ap-
peared to be due chiefly to closing
out of spreads—buying here
against sales at Winnipeg.

British acceptance of the tenta-
tive terms of the United States re-
garding payment of war debts by
Great Britain also was a factor in-
spiring a little more confidence on
the bull side of the market. In
addition shippers said that mill-
ing inquiry for wheat was better. Up-
turns in price failed to hold well
at the finish.

Scantiness of receipts here and
continued need of rain in Argentina
gave strength to the corn market.

Slackening of export demand
offset in the provision market the
effect of higher quotations on
hogs.

Chicago Grain Futures

Chicago, Jan. 31.—Futures:
Opening High Low Close

WHEAT—
May 1.16½ 1.17½ 1.16 1.16½
July 1.11½ 1.12 1.11½ 1.11½
Sept. 1.09½ 1.09½ 1.09½ 1.09½

CORN—
May 72½ 73½ 72½ 73½
July 72½ 73½ 72½ 73½
Sept. 72½ 73½ 72½ 73½

OATS—
May 44½ 44½ 44½ 44½
July 42½ 42½ 42½ 42½
Sept. 40½ 40½ 40½ 40½

LAND—
Jan. 11.37 11.37 11.27 11.30
May 11.45 11.45 11.40 11.45

RIBS—
Jan. 11.10 11.10
May 11.00 11.00

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET

Peoria,



Special Offerings for Women

A lot of small size shoes with high heels, now... 98c
Black shoes with military heels, sizes good, to clean up quickly... \$1.49
A lot of serviceable low heel shoes, now... \$2.98
Black and tan calf shoes with low heels, made for growing girls, sale price... \$3.49
Special lots of dress slippers and street oxfords, at... \$3.49 and \$4.85
Late style low shoes in patents and tan leathers; your choice, now only... \$5.75
Strap slippers for house wear, all sizes... \$1.98

See Our Offerings

Hoppers

SPANISH CLUB AT I. W. C.

"El Herve Fletico," an original one act Spanish play, written by Miss Bertha Logan of the advanced Spanish class at the Woman's college, was presented at the college recently and scored a great success. The play featured scenarios garbed in gorgeous manillas, the inevitable "amante," and a real Spanish bandit. Miss Logan is a member of the class of 1923 and is prominent in college life.

The presentation of the play was under the direction of the Spanish Club organized at the college recently. The members include the students in the advanced Spanish class and officers have been chosen as follows: Beniah Farnum, president; Mary Thomson, vice president; Martha Logan, secretary; Margaret Kessler, treasurer, and Miss Nora Thompson, faculty advisor.

The club members are now much interested in the play writing contest which closes on February 24. A number of the girls are writing original plays in Spanish and the best of these will be chosen for presentation at the Spring Carnival.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK
Savings Deposits made during the first ten days of FEBRUARY will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

VISITS GRANDMOTHER
Miss Dora Moore of East State street returned yesterday from Manchester where she has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. E. Moore. Mrs. Moore recently celebrated her one hundred and first birthday and is a most remarkable woman. She was picking quilts while Miss Moore was visiting her, and seemed in very good health.

SHOP AID

Self Serve Grocery

226 West State Street

Carnation Milk

Large Can 10c

STRING FIGS

Imported

18c a Pound

Soak and Stew as You Would Prunes

Log Cabin Maple Syrup

Small 31c Medium 62c

PLAN TO SLASH C. P. EXPENSES IS FORMED

Patrons Meeting at Sangamo Club Organize to Save Road—Will Present Evidence and Course of Action to Commission on February 6th.

Plans for saving a half million dollars in the operating expenses of the C. P. & St. L. railroad were presented Wednesday afternoon at a meeting of the patrons' committee which is endeavoring to save the road from abandonment. The meeting was held at the Sangamo club in Springfield, and was attended from this city by H. C. Welch, Attorney J. J. Reeve, John Larson, C. A. Fiedler, C. S. Elack and Charles T. Mackness.

The committee will make its chief fight for the road at the hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission in Springfield on Feb. 6. The chief argument used will show that the abandonment of the road will mean loss and suffering in a large and wealthy section of Illinois.

The plan for saving expenses on the road, as formulated at the meeting yesterday, has the following features:

1. Abandonment of all passenger trains and the hitching of passenger cars to freight trains, thus saving \$70,000 a year in the passenger department expense.
2. Conservation on equipment and saving in pay roll expense in the maintenance and operating departments thru the first suggestion.
3. Naming of W. C. Hurst as general manager and receiver and the appointment of three attorneys to be paid for by patrons of the road. Elimination of attorneys' and receivers' salaries would save another \$30,000 yearly.
4. Taxation of the road on the basis of a \$2,000,000 valuation instead of its present valuation thus effecting a saving in taxes each year of \$60,000.

NEW DOUGLAS CAFE OPENS TODAY 5 P. M.

MR. AND MRS. ONGAWA
Frederick Starr of the University of Chicago has the following to say relative to the Ongawas who appear in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening, February 13 under the auspices of the Rev. James Caldwell Chapter D. A. R.

"I have seen the Japanese entertainment given by Mr. and Mrs. Ongawa. It is an interesting and beautiful presentation of the life and thought of Old Japan. It is not only attractive and instructive, it is calculated to give an insight into the heart of Japan which will bring her nearer to ourselves and tend to develop a firmer friendship."

Tickets \$1 and students 50c. Seats will not be reserved.

Hear Courboin, one of world's greatest organists, Christian church, Feb. 8., admission 50c.

CARL S. PICK DIES

MOBILE, ALABAMA
Gates Strawn received a message yesterday telling of the death of Carl S. Pick of Citronelle, Ala., which occurred in a Mobile hospital Wednesday evening at 6:00 o'clock after an illness of several weeks.

Decedent was the husband of Miss Carrie Chambers, formerly of this city, a niece of Miss Elle Trabue, who survives. Funeral services will be held in Citronelle Friday.

NEW DOUGLAS CAFE
Opens today 5 p. m., new owners, redecorated and refurnished. A perfect service at a moderate price.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hutchinson made a trip to the city yesterday from White Hall.

Get your incubator now. Early chicks bring the highest prices. Klondike and Old Reliable Incubators give best results.

BRADY BROS.

Machine Shops

STEEL
SMOKE
STACKS

All sizes, lengths and shapes, made to order. Prompt, satisfactory work and prices.

KELLOGG Bros. & Co. Inc.

Shop Phone 203

E. J. Rawlings, Pres.
Residence phone 50-379

E. E. Henderson
Sec. Treas.

Phone 1490W
784 East Railroad Street
Jacksonville, Ill.

In New York



Wai-Hu-Sing (father of his people), the high priest of the Pueblo Indians of New Mexico, is shown here standing on the steps of City Hall, New York, apparently struck dumb by the grandeur of the city. The Indians were greeted by Mayor Eylan.

PARENT-TEACHER MEETING TONIGHT

David Prince Organization Will Meet This Evening—Mrs. W. S. Jones Will Preside.

The Parent-Teacher Association of the David Prince school will hold a meeting this evening at seven thirty o'clock in the school auditorium. An interesting program has been planned and a large attendance is expected at the meeting. Mrs. W. S. Jones, president of the association, will preside and there will be a short business session.

A group of musical numbers will be given by the students from the Woman's College of Music. Miss Gwendolyn Schroyer will sing a number of songs and Miss Christine Corner will play a group of violin selections. Miss Virginia Clark is to accompany them. The arrangements for the musical part of the program were made by the music committee of which Mrs. Abram Wehl is the chairman. The feature of the evening's program will be an address by Dr. R. V. Brockaw, Morgan County Health officer, on the subject of "School Hygiene."

Following the program the meeting will adjourn for a social hour and refreshments will be passed. Mrs. O. D. Graff is the chairman of the social committee and she is to be assisted this evening by Mrs. Harry Hutches, Mrs. Frank Correa, Mrs. A. C. Templin, Mrs. J. H. Kennedy, Mrs. Arthur Cady, Mrs. J. L. Graham and Miss Ursula Fawcett.

SEED DAY
Farm Bureau Office
Saturday
February 3
Bring in samples of clover seed, seed oats, soybeans and seed corn

CIVIL WAR VETERANS DAUGHTERS TO MEET
Daughters, grand daughters and great granddaughters of Veterans of the Civil War who reside in Morgan County, are invited to attend a meeting to be held at the American Legion Hall at 7:30 this evening for the purpose of organizing. According to the present indications, a large number of ladies will attend the meeting.

Miss Hazel L. Riley, an organizer for the association, and Miss Lotta M. Cawrey state president are in the city making arrangements for the meeting. They will assist the local ladies in organizing this evening. Miss Cawrey and Miss Riley will be at the Dunlap Hotel today and will be pleased to interview any who may be interested.

VISIT ICE PLANT
The students in the third period Chemistry Class at the High school were taken on a tour of inspection thru the Snyder Ice plant on North Main street yesterday morning. There are fifteen students in this class which is taught by Professor T. P. Carter.

BULLETIN

People generally know the unusual values obtainable at the Andre & Andre Semi-Annual Sales, but to those who do not, a visit there will be well worth your while. A glance at today's advertisement on page 2 is simply an example of the hundreds of bargain values to be had. During this great sale, whether you buy or not, it will be worth something to you to visit this store, so you can make your own comparison.

EIGHT GRADUATE IN NORMAL TRAINING

Completed Course at Illinois School for the Deaf—Col. and Mrs. O. C. Smith Gave Dinner for Class.

A class of eight students in the Normal Training department at the Illinois School for the Deaf, received diplomas last evening at a dinner party given by Colonel and Mrs. O. C. Smith. The students have been taking the required course of training since September of last year and are now qualified to take teaching positions.

The dinner, given in honor of the occasion by Colonel and Mrs. Smith, was served at six o'clock last evening, the instructors and graduating class of the Normal Training department making up the guest list. The tables were prettily decorated with St. Valentine and attractive little hearta and other favors were found at each place. After the serving of the dinner, the diplomas were presented to the students by Colonel Smith, managing officer of the school. An informal program of toasts and speeches was given and the rest of the evening was devoted to a social time.

The members of the faculty who were guests at the function were Professor T. V. Archer, George H. Putnam, Miss Margaret Russell, Miss Amelia DeMotte and Miss Irene Sandberg. The graduating class includes Albert Brasel, Miss Elizabeth Vincent, Miss Mary McGhee, Mrs. Gertrude Coltra, Miss Sullivan, Miss Nell Cuddy, and Miss Adele Keppler.

For That Cough Take Merrigan's Cough Drops

RAYHILL FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services for the late Prof. James H. Rayhill will be held from Westminster church this afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of the pastor, Dr. Thomas W. Smith. Members of Matt Star post G. A. R. of which Mr. Rayhill was long a member, will carry out the funeral of the organization. Burial will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

In building your new home, don't forget we insist on dealing direct with you (the owner). DOYLE BROS. Plumbing, Heating, Electrical.

DEATHS

ROULAND.
Walter Roulard of Waverly died early Wednesday morning at Passavant hospital after a long illness. The remains were removed to the funeral parlors of Arthur G. Cady, where they were prepared for burial. They were taken to Waverly Wednesday afternoon.

The deceased was born in 1881 and was a lifelong resident of the Waverly community. He is survived by his widow and five children.

Raise all the chicks with the Old Reliable Blue Flame, Wickless oil heated Colony Hover.

BRADY BROS.

MATRIMONY

Morris-Laughary.
The marriage of John Morris and Miss Naomi Laughary, both of Arcadia neighborhood, was solemnized in this city at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. W. E. Spooner, performing the ceremony at the court house. The witnesses were George Laughary and Miss Grace Ruby. Mr. and Mrs. Morris are to reside on a farm a few miles east of Jacksonville.

NEW DOUGLAS CAFE OPENS TODAY 5 P. M.

WITH THE SICK

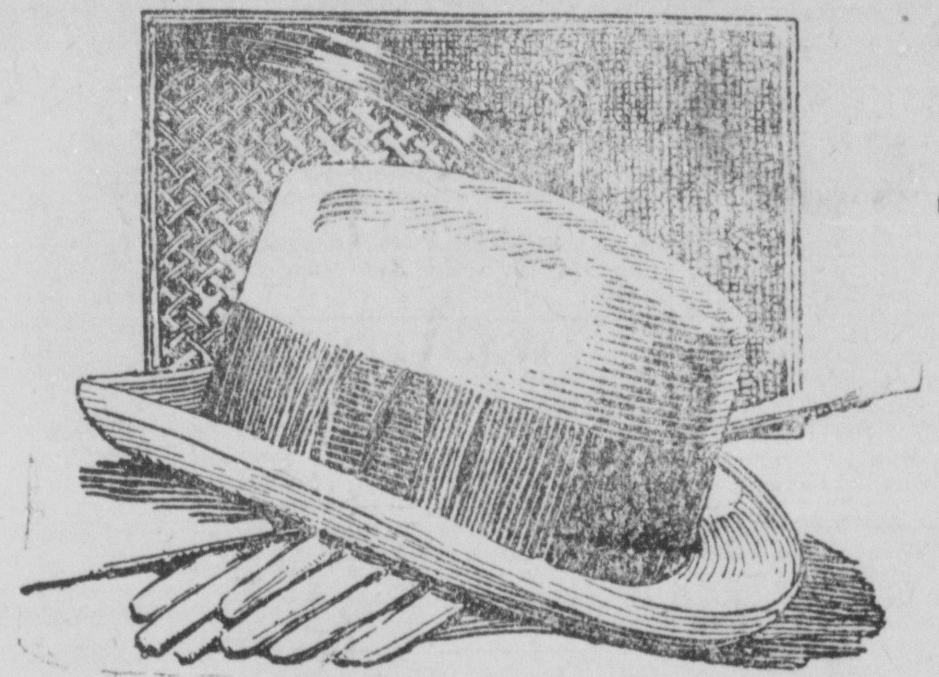
Miss Hattie Davis, bookkeeper at Shanken's store, is improving after a severe illness of influenza. Samuel Bailey is confined to his home on the Mound Road by illness.

John Shaw of Eldred was able to leave Passavant hospital yesterday and return to his home.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS
The tax books are now in the collector's office and taxes extended stand as judgments against all parties mentioned therein.

Persons paying on personal property only should pay the tax promptly and avoid trouble and expense in collection. The judgment reads as follows: "In case any person named in said books shall neglect or refuse to pay their personal tax, you shall levy the same by distress and sale of goods and chattels of such persons." Parties paying on real estate should bring their old tax receipts to save time and avoid mistakes. If paying thru the banks, leave your old receipts with your bank as soon as possible.

T. O. WRIGHT.
Ex-Officio Collector.



Here's Good Reason for Your HAT BUYING NOW

These are all of remaining lots purchased from a reliable manufacturer at a low price. We are passing them along to you at the low figure of

\$2.85

Fine Soft Felts, Silk Lined Colors--Browns and Tans

Buy and Save

MYERS BROTHERS

Wool Shirts 1/4 off

MURRAYVILLE CARD PARTY WAS SUCCESS

Ladies of St. Bartholomew's Church Made Neat Sum at Euchre Party Tuesday Night.

Murrayville, Jan. 31.—The Ladies of St. Bartholomew's church in Murrayville gave a card party Tuesday evening in the basketball hall. The patronage was so liberal that the ladies netted about \$100 as a result of the affair.

The committee in charge of the arrangements include Mrs. Peter McCabe, Miss Mary Lawless and Mrs. Thomas McGrath.

Euchre was played during the evening, the first and second ladies' prize being won by Miss Mary Murphy and Miss Mabel Cosgriff, respectively. Charles Koyne won the first gentleman's prize, while Joseph Thompson carried off second honors.

Refreshments of a very attractive kind were served during the evening. Father McGinnis had as his guests: Father Smith of Franklin; Father Speeman, of Brighton, Ill.; and Father Hobbs of Jacksonville.

SUPPER AT WESTMINSTER CHURCH LAST NIGHT

Supper was served for the members of Westminster church at 6 o'clock last night preceding the preparatory service. The supper committee included Mrs. George Tholen, chairman; Misses Mary Updegraff, Della Orr, Maggie Tholen, Fannie Smith and Mrs. William Gilbert.

GAME POSTPONED

The basketball game scheduled between the Elks and Manchester for this week has been postponed until Monday night, February 5th. The change was necessary because of a conflict of dates at the David Prince Gymnasium where the game is to be played.

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ATTENTION G. A. R.

Post is requested to meet at 1:45 o'clock today (Thursday) at 232 Westminster street, to attend the funeral of Comrade J. H. Rayhill.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during our recent sad bereavement, also for the many beautiful floral remembrances.

Mary and William Winchester.

Miss Gladys Biggs of South Clay avenue expects to leave this week for Quincy, Illinois, where she will enroll as a student at St. Mary's Academy. Miss Biggs has been a student at the Jacksonville High school.

Bernard Corrigan, a student at Illinois University from New Berlin, is spending a few days of his mid-semester vacation with friends in this city.

RAILWAY CAR THIEVES

MAKE HAUL OF BUTTER
The theft of 38 cases of butter from a Wabash freight car some where between this city and Springfield, has been reported to local police. The car load of butter was shipped by Swift & Co. plant here, consigned to a Pennsylvania town. No clue to the identity of the thieves has been obtained as yet. The loss was discovered when the car reached Springfield. Inspectors noticed that the seal on the door had been broken and made an investigation.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

S. W. Burnett to Alice Fetter, west half lot 56, Salters second addition to Waverly, \$1.

Thomas Smith to George Simpson, lot 4, 5 and 6, block 1, Mercedosia, \$1.

G. W. Simpson to Thomas Smith, lot 6, block 3, Aylesworth & Cobb's addition to Mercedosia, \$1.

ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Savings Deposits made during the first ten days of FEBRUARY will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

Harry S. Mahews of Boardman town was in the city yesterday transacting business with local merchants.

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